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CITY COUNCIL

Tax Levy Fixed For Next Year.— Other Business Transacted.

The city council met in regular session last night, Mayor Kye presiding and all councilmen in their places. After minutes were read and approved the following business was transacted:

Bretthauer, chairman of the Board of Public Safety, reported that the city firemen were in need of five blankets for their sleeping apartments at the fire house. On motion the purchase of five blankets was ordered.

City Attorney Kamman reported that he had examined the contract between the city and the Seymour Home Telephone Company relative to the fire alarm system and found that the contract was good and was for five years from April 1905. Some thought the contract should be cancelled if it could be and a new contract made with the Mutual Telephone Company. After some discussion the matter was referred to a committee consisting of Weaver, Jerrell and Bretthauer and the city attorney to ascertain on what terms a contract with the new company could be made.

The city clerk reported that he had secured bids on 832 feet of No. 1 24 inch sewer pipe as directed by the council and the bid of J. M. Hamer, 68 cents per foot and Y's at \$3.05 each, being the lowest, he had awarded the contract to him. This action was approved.

The clerk read a letter from J. C. Hagerty, division superintendent of the B. & O. S-W., relative to drainage in the Fourth ward along the company's right-of-way. He said the most of the water complained of did not come from the railroad's property but from other property. He said the company desired to be fair but he did not think that the railroad company should alone drain this territory. Mr. Jerrell said he had recently talked to the B. & O. S-W. surveyor and he suggested that if the council would appoint a committee he would come here and meet that committee and together they would try to agree on some plan of drainage. This was agreed upon and the clerk was directed to write Engineer Batchelor to come. There were no bids on sidewalks and curb and gutters on Ewing or west Fourth and Fifth streets, but the clerk read private contracts already awarded showing that about all the work had been contracted.

Bids for the construction of the Sixth street storm sewer were opened. The only bid was that of DeGolyer & Welsh, who proposed to build the sewer complete according to plans and specifications for \$3770. Ahlert moved that the bid be rejected stating that there were no funds available to pay for it. Weaver moved to amend by awarding contract to DeGolyer & Welsh. After some questions were asked and answered a vote was taken and the amendment was lost by a vote of 4 to 3. Then the original motion was adopted, rejecting the bids, by a vote of 4 to 3.

The clerk read the assessment roll on the Central avenue sewer and the two laterals. There were a few objections because of alleged inequalities. The council thought the objections were well founded and took a recess of ten minutes to make adjustments. The assessment against the property of two or three in the district were deemed too high and lowered them accordingly and the assessments against four or five others were slightly raised. The assessment roll was then adopted.

The certificate of the county auditor showing that the total taxable valuation of property in Seymour is \$2,798,810 and that the taxable polls are 1273, was read.

Clerk read a communication from J. B. Lindsay, of Dowagiac, Mich., asking about what inducements could be offered him to move his automobile factory here. Said he would work from 40 to 50 men. No action on communication.

Weaver called attention to the petition presented two weeks ago for opening Ross street and opening a street along the right-of-way of the traction line from Carter street east to the Pennsylvania railroad, widening and extending Oak street east from Chestnut. He asked the attorney about the resolution and the attorney said that it would be necessary for him to be furnished an exact description of the land to be appropriated for new streets. This the engineer was instructed to furnish to the attorney and he to prepare the resolution.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Rose Mitchell, cleaning city building and jail.....	\$ 4 50
Carl Moritz, prisoner ex.....	7 42
Mrs. Anna Heuser, meals.....	5 50
Central Pharmacal Co., antitoxin.....	10 00
Carrie Gates, laundry.....	1 30
Mrs. A. W. Mills, cement.....	2 00
Hopewell & Brandt, supplies.....	3 69
J. F. Sierp, St. Com.....	18 00
Wm. Aufenberger, labor.....	16 20
Chas. Sierp, ".....	13 20
Newt Spurling, ".....	15 90
Ed Scheurich, ".....	16 20
Henry Stunkle, scraping.....	9 60
Squire Wilson, labor.....	15 15
Earl Welsh, ".....	12 00
W. C. Bevins, plumbing.....	3 40
G. Manuel, concrete.....	18 92
G. Manuel, changing tile.....	4 48
Chris Moritz, intersection.....	5 60
Volunteer Firemen.....	3 00

The bill of Peter Forway on garbage contract was held up because it was alleged he was not complying with his contract.

The ordinance fixing the tax levy for the next year was called on second reading and the levy was fixed as follows: For the general fund the rate was fixed at 100 cents on the one hundred dollars of taxable property and 50 cents on each taxable poll; for the special fund 20 cents; sewer fund 5 cents; library 4 cents. Total levy \$1.30. The levy last year was \$1.35.

Jackson commended the concrete sewer put in the ditch at the corporation line south of west Second street and moved that this concrete sewer be extended north to the north side of Third street.

On motion of Jerrell the street commissioner was instructed to put down

a foot crossing at the Third ward school house.

Bretthauer reported that the street light at Oak and Poplar was not burning regularly. This led other councilmen to cite other instances where lights did not burn. Night police instructed to report lights when found not burning for two nights.

On motion of Ahlert Mr. Tornohlen was given privilege to remove some dirt in front of his property on south Poplar.

On motion of Weaver the street commissioner was directed to put down two crossings on east Sixth street and one at the intersection of Fifth and Indianapolis avenue.

Council adjourned at 10:15.

DIED.

HAMPSON—Mrs. William, Hampson, of Medora, died Sunday morning at 3:15 after an illness of two weeks with paralysis. Age 52 years. Mrs. Hampson was stricken with paralysis of the brain on Sunday morning, Sept. 13th. She was conscious much of the time after the attack up to two o'clock Saturday morning. The deceased leaves a husband, one son and three daughters, besides brothers and sisters and other relatives. Her daughter, Miss Dollie Hampson, has many friends and acquaintances in this city. Mrs. Hampson was born in the southwest part of this county and lived in that locality all her life except for about two years when she resided in Green county.

The funeral was conducted at the United Brethren church at Medora Monday afternoon at one o'clock, by a U. B. minister from Washington. Burial at Medora. Among the relatives who were called from a distance and who remained to attend the funeral were her sister, Mrs. Emma Goss, and her brother, Cornelius L. Beem, returned to their home at Indianapolis Tuesday morning.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

H. J. Hair was here from Washington Monday.

F. J. Smith, of the B. & O. S-W. shops at Washington, was here Monday afternoon.

Everett Lumpkin, brakeman on the Pennsylvania lines, was in the city this morning.

Patrolman Barclay, of the B. & O. S-W., was in this city Monday* looking after business in his line.

B. & O. S-W. patrolman Meyers now of the Cincinnati division, was in this city a short time this morning.

Runaway.

Otto Hunter and Clark Davis had an exciting runaway about noon today. They were leaving the Hunter grocery store at the corner of Third and Ewing to go north to dinner. A traveling show wagon was coming down Ewing street and frightened the horse which Mr. Hunter was driving. The horse turned the wagon over and finally broke loose and ran away. Mr. Hunter was quite seriously injured in the leg but no bones were broken. The wagon and harness were considerably wrecked. Mr. Davis was uninjured.

Seymour Temperatures.

The following are the maximum and minimum temperatures as shown by the government thermometers at the Seymour volunteer weather observation station and reported by J. Robert Blair, observer. The figures are for twenty-four hours ending at noon:

	MAX	MIN
September 29, 1908,	69	40

Political Gossip.

Republican convention at North Vernon tomorrow at 1 o'clock.

The republicans of Jackson, Brown, Washington counties will meet in delegate convention at Brownstown next Saturday, October 3, to nominate a candidate for joint senator.

Attention Woodmen!

All members urged to attend regular meeting Wednesday night. Business of importance to come before lodge.

W. H. LEMP, C.
s30d GEO. F. MEYER, clerk.

Special Services.

Elder L. A. Winn, of Centerville, will preach at the Central Christian church tonight and tomorrow night. A full attendance of the members of the church is desired.

Another Student.

H. Frank Brown returned to Chicago, last week to resume his studies in the Chicago Veterinary College.

Get in New Building Association—now.

Sprenger's barber shop is the best.

CROTHERSVILLE

Big Fair in Progress There this Week.

The Crothersville Fair is in progress this week and the management says it is the biggest and best fair ever held there. The secretary says the exhibits in all departments are the largest ever seen at a county fair in this section of the state. The corn exhibit is immense and shows what can be produced in this locality. The live stock exhibit is fine and the poultry department is running over. Over 1000 birds are on exhibition. The entries of fruit, vegetables, fancy work etc are worth going a long distance to see.

The races compose a big feature. In every race there are from five to nine entries and some splendid races will be seen. Wednesday there will be a base ball game between Brownstown and Scottsburg and the championship settled.

This is the only fair in Jackson county and the people will show their appreciation. Seymour will send down big delegations every day.

Action This Week.

New York, Sept. 28.—While the fierce battle that has raged for a week over Haskell and Foraker in the political campaign has subsided to a certain extent, there are no indications that the coming week will be at all a peaceful or quiet one. Foraker has hurled his bolt and threatens to have more to say. Haskell's resignation is accompanied by a threat to take legal action against his accusers, one of whom is the president of the United States.

The actual political campaign will be in full action before the week closes. Taft on his Northwestern swing will be heard in North Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska and Colorado.

Bryan meets the Taft def by a flying trip to Wisconsin and North Dakota early in the week and then returns to Lincoln for rest in preparation for a whirlwind close of the campaign.

The Republican vice presidential candidate, too, enters the arena. Because of his health, however, Mr. Sherman's efforts will be principally confined to six addresses in central Illinois. He will be accompanied by Congressman Longworth.

John W. Kern's expeditions which began last week will take him through the northern part of Ohio this week and thence into Michigan, Alabama, Georgia and North Carolina.

Gov. Hughes of New York swings into the West for a brief period. He will be heard at Indianapolis, South Bend, Ind.; Detroit, Baltimore and Buffalo. Senator Beveridge also takes the stump, with speeches at Terre Haute, Ind., Chicago and Minneapolis.

HONOR THOSE SIX DEMOCRATS.

To the six Democrats who voted to place the Republican county local option measure among the laws of Indiana too much praise cannot be given. To quote Mr. Taft, their service can not be underestimated nor overemphasized. Engrave their names on the roll of greatest honor and ever keep green the memory of them.

They are patriots who deserve much of their fellow Hoosiers. It was no easy for them to do what they did. They were cajoled and bulldozed to the limit, be sure. Temptations not easily resisted were laid to lure them away and stifle the call of their individual consciences. Brewery influence was alternately blatant and seductively persuasive to keep them "regular." Threats and promises for their future failed to move them. They stood for the popular will of the state and of their constituencies, and their electors will not be forgetful or ungrateful. How high they stand in our state's hall of fame in comparison with Senator Ert Slack, to whom party success is more than the principles he holds as a man!

Four Republicans reneged. Let them be remembered, too.

Sciarras Bros.

Tailors by trade in all its branches. Call us by new Phone. No. 37, and we bring to your house a full line samples. We do cleaning, dyeing and remodeling of ladies and gents clothes. Will call for and deliver free of charge. 4 S. Chestnut street.

To make paper stick to metal use a strong solution of washing soda. While hot dip the metal in and when clean take it out and rub with a soft cloth. Apply onion juice to the metal, press the paper smoothly over it, and it will adhere like glue, and it will be almost impossible to separate the two.

Try a Want Ad in The REPUBLICAN

Telephone Talk.

That a one-phone telephone system is the ideal condition for any community is conceded by everyone; even the Old Company admits this proposition. This is fast being conceded, it only remains to decide on the means of bringing it about.

Shall it be through a foreign corporation who have refused farmers admission, given poor service, and charged excessive rates; through a foreign corporation working under a wide-open franchise over which the people or the city have no control whatever; a foreign corporation that can do as they please when they have not competition? Or, shall it be through a local company owned and controlled by over two hundred stock holders, everyone of whom is a resident of Jackson County, who have come to you with a franchise that makes a rate of \$3.00 a year less than the Old Company declared possible; a franchise that prevents over-capitalization, hence prevents the necessity of a raise in rates; a franchise that requires the directors to make an annual sworn statement of the receipts and expense, assets and liabilities, thereby preventing any financial juggling?

In short, you were asked to decide between a local company with a franchise that protects your interest at every point, and a foreign company whose franchise affords you no protection whatever.

That your decision has been in favor of the former is abundantly proved by the very liberal patronage given the New Company, over five hundred phones in town, and three hundred farmers connections made the first thirty days of our existence.

NEW PHONE COMPANY.

(Above is paid matter.)

Miss Edna VanCleave, of the Surprise neighborhood, who was seized with a severe attack of sneezing a few weeks ago, continues to improve slowly. The trouble was caused by something like hay fever and her nerves have been in a very bad condition for a while. It has been necessary to exercise very great care in keeping her surroundings very quiet and to avoid any excitement of any kind. The case has been quite as alarming as it has been peculiar.

Simon Eacret, who made a savage attack on a man in Indianapolis a few days ago, as was reported in the Indianapolis papers, was in this city Monday afternoon. He is now under bond awaiting further legal action. His bond, which was at first fixed at \$1,000, has been reduced to \$100. This would indicate that those in authority at Indianapolis are not much afraid of his running away and that there will be but little or no attempt to prosecute him vigorously.

Buy your cabbage now for kraut. Fresh car on track. Ask your grocer for prices.

s30d

Save money by subscribing for stock in New Building Association. Subscription lists at Gates News Stand. Office over Peters Drug Store. Starts October 5th.

s5d

GOVERNOR HANLY

Will Speak at Brownstown, Friday Evening, Oct. 2.

Thos. V. Pruitt, the republican county chairman, was notified Monday evening that Governor J. Frank Hanly had been assigned to speak at Brownstown on Friday evening of this week. Mr. Pruitt at once got busy getting the word out over the county and he is already assured of a good crowd.

Governor Hanly is starting into the campaign this week and will speak about every day until the election.

At headquarters they report that requests for the Governor are coming from all parts of the state and that his assignments will take him into many counties.

The people of Brownstown are pleased over his assignment there and men of all political parties from all parts of the county will be out to hear him. The women are also interested and will go and hear him speak.

Fishing Party.

Fireman John Fleeharty and others, of this city, who have been encamped on the banks of White River since last Friday on a fishing trip are finding it a pretty cool place. No reports have come to us of results but we understand there are others who think it would be fine sport to sleep out in a tent these nights and we may have other fishing parties to report. John Oehler, of the Louisville fire department, has arranged to spend a few days with Mr. Fleeharty on the river.

Dreamland Tonight.

A "Double Header." Two thousand feet of pictures, "Blue Bird," a beautiful fairy story, also "The Blackmailer" and "Husband Wanted." Just as good as the ones we had last Saturday. Latest illustrated song, "I'm Dreaming of Sweet Lily of the Valley." Don't miss seeing these or both of us will be sorry. First show 7:30 sharp.

Attention Patriarchs.

All members of Beharrell Encampment No. 109 are invited to attend the social meeting of Canton Seymour at I. O. O. F. Hall Wednesday evening, Sept. 30th, at 8 p. m.

H. R. LUCKEY, Capt.
E. E. HOPEWELL, Clerk.
s30d

Notice Pathfinders.

A special meeting of the Pathfinders' Lodge in G. A. R. hall Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Harry M. Ham, Grand Secretary of the Pathfinders' Lodge, will be present. All members urged to be present.

s29d

Beauty Parlor.

Ladies, we are now ready for shampooing, hairdressing, massaging, etc. Kindly give us a call. Mrs. E. M. Young, 130 South Chestnut.

Start right—New Building Association.

o5d

Majestic Theatre

Friday Night, October 2nd

"Peck's Bad Boy"

"Papa's Return"

Two shows for one price. New songs, new jokes, new medleys, great dancers, acrobats, comedians.

With Peck's Bad Boy,

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The smallest children performing in vaudeville, acts consisting of singing, dancing and whistling. See EDNA, age 3, in singing, dancing and whistling.

PRICES: 75c, 50, 35c and 25c.

Richart The Shoe Man

WE PRESENT for your your inspection the New "DOROTHY DODD" bench made Shoes. They are Shoes of the choicest leather distinguished by good taste and refreshing originality, yet moderately priced.

The line includes the popular and beautiful patent colt, patent kid and the lustrous black kid in shapes and styles to delight the most critical. You are cordially invited to inspect the new models now in view at

Richart's

Opposite Interurban Station, Seymour, Indiana.

Biometer, a Little Machine Invented for Measuring the Aura.

The measurement of nerve force presents one of the most mysterious and perplexing problems in medicine. It is the meeting place of science and occultism, the ground on which the occult contends successfully with medicine and conquers it, says Harper's Weekly.

Mystics have long declared that the human body is surrounded by an aura, depleted in ancient illuminations over the heads of saints, as the halo; many apparently reputable persons have declared these emanations visible to them and that they varied in color or actually changed according to the possessing emotion.

The French Academy of Science has investigated the properties of the biometer, a little machine invented for measuring some unknown force given off from the human body. The machine consists of a glass cylinder eight or ten inches long and five or six inches wide, closed at the top and standing in a narrow circular groove on a wooden stand. From the top of this apparatus depends a single untwisted thread of cotton about four inches long. The lower end is carefully fastened to the exact middle of a copper needle about three inches long, suspended from it horizontally, so as to move in a horizontal rotation to right or left with perfect freedom. About one-third of an inch below this is a circular horizontal card, divided into 360 degrees, which rests on a glass hobbin having an exterior diameter of two inches and resting itself upon the wooden stand. This glass hobbin has been wrapped round with alternate layers of blotting paper and fine iron wire. The result is to produce a mobile needle that can rotate horizontally, immediately above a circular card divided into 360 degrees.

Various other contrivances, such as the sthenometer, have been devised, but all on the same general principles. The biometer consists of a copper needle, the athenometer of a suspended straw, both completely inclosed in glass.

Now, when the right hand is advanced to within about an inch of the cylinder and there retained from three to five minutes, no one else standing near, the experimenter neither moving nor talking, the needle is rotated through 20 to 60 degrees, remains fixed for a time and then returns to the starting point. The same occurs when the left hand is advanced. There is no possibility of illusion. It can be done whether the room be dark or light, cold or hot, quiet or noisy.

SMUGGLING IN PHILIPPINES.**Swift Boat Brings Contraband Goods from Oriental Ports to Islands.**

Smuggling in the Philippine Islands is assuming proportions that make it a menace to insular revenues, declares the Manila Times. It will surprise the ordinary and law abiding to know that only a few days ago a cargo of khaki, smuggled into the country by way of the east coast of Luzon, was floated down Laguna de Bay and the Pasig for distribution in Manila, yet such is the fact.

The cloth was dropped on the east coast somewhere near Baler, lugged across the mountains to a secluded inlet on the lake and boldly brought into Manila. Sleuths of the government got track of it before it was landed, but there was no way to stop it.

There is smuggling, too, in the north country, but its greatest home is in the Sulu archipelago, with Borneo as its base. There in that back alleyway of the sea it has gone on for ages without let or hindrance. Hundreds of swift-going vintas are engaged in the illicit trade and heretofore they have carried on the traffic in the light of day.

It has never been anybody's business to watch them. The trade was good for Borneo and Spanish sovereignty sat lightly in the sea of the Dyaks. A month ago when a legislative committee went from Manila to investigate the question it found a hundred boats loading contraband on the Borneo coast and it stumbled upon a party of ninety Chinese who were coming to the Philippines by the underground.

Suppression of the use of opium in the Philippines has made the drug the great prize of smuggling. It has gone to a fabulous price in Manila, Iloilo, Cebu and other cities and there are riches for the fellow who can run it across the Sulu sea. And there is money in other articles, as witness the innocent khaki cloth that circled Luzon and came in by way of the Laguna excursion route. The government is planning to meet the Sulu situation by building a fast cutter, but two could do more work than one, and there must later be another for the north coast and later another for the east coast.

DANGER IN DUST.**Why the Indoor Occupations Are More Hazardous than Others.**

In spite of the primal obligation of man to the dust it appears from an exhaustive study of the relation of an industrial occupation to popular ailments and diseases, made by George M. Kober of the Georgetown Medical college and printed in the current bulletin of labor, that dust is one of the greatest enemies with which people of the world have to contend. Almost every occupation involves its own peculiar kind of dust and the breath-

ing of it into the lungs and respiratory passages produces disease.

Aside from the well-known effects of vitiated air, the particles of dust which fly in the various manufactures do the greatest damage. In Northampton, in this State, says the Boston Transcript, returns for twelve years show that among grinders, polishers and cutlers diseases of the lungs were responsible for 72 per cent of the mortality of which 54 per cent was tuberculosis. Needle polishing in Germany is so bad that one investigator found only one person in eight of those pursuing the calling to be over 40 years of age. The Quincy stonecutters are shown to be susceptible to consumption.

Seventy-two per cent of the deaths among the metal grinders of Solingen are due to consumption, as compared with 35.5 per cent among the general population. Workers in mica dust and bronzing powders used in the manufacture of wall papers, fancy souvenir cards, moldings, frames, etc., are found predisposed to diseases of the respiratory passages and the bronze powder in addition is likely to produce headache and diseases of the digestion.

Persons engaged in glass cutting not only suffer from inhalation of a sharp and irritating dust, but also from lead poisoning from the use of putty powder. Gem finishers also have a high consumption and sick rate. The emery and corundum industry must be classed with the trades intrinsically dangerous to health, on account of the peculiarly irritating character of the dust.

Coal miners, charcoal men, firemen, chimney sweeps, etc., who are exposed to the constant inhalation of coal dust and soot, suffer badly from catarrh, but not especially from consumption. This should be gratifying information to a much wider circle than the followers of these callings, since in the smoke-ridden modern cities the condition of nearly everybody approximates that of the coal miner.

Engineer's Tame Sparrow.

Jim is the name of a sparrow which is the pet of the engine drivers and firemen at one of the railway centers in the north of Scotland, says the Animal's Friend.

He was hatched within the noisy precincts of a busy locomotive stable, but falling out of the nest before being fully fledged was placed in a cage and tenderly cared for in the railway office. On the third day he began flying all over the room and even allows himself to be petted.

In fact, he quickly became so tame that one day when his owner (the local railway engineer) was writing he flew on to his hand and quietly fell asleep, and when about 6 months old began to accompany him on his daily rounds among the engines in the yard, perched jauntily on his shoulder or hopping contentedly by his side.

He chooses very queer places for his nests, the oddest and most awkward so far being the inside breast coat pocket of his owner, whom he would follow wherever he went, stuffing the selected pocket with miscellaneous nesting material. Jim is now 6 years of age.

Will Remember His Friends.

When Patrick McGinnagan became a member of the Chicago police force a delegation of his friends burst in upon him while he was at dinner and presented him with a handsome night stick in honor of his popularity and their esteem. Completely bewildered by this unexpected token, the new policeman nevertheless struggled to his feet and stammered his appreciation.

"Friends, ye have upset me wid y'r kindness," he said, flourishing the night stick. "O'll try an' do me duty wid this little skillalah, and I hope an' thrust that ivry man he'll live t' feel its infolence."

Same Object.

Mrs. Subbubs—That Mrs. Newcome just moved into the Dunderlys' old house on Saturday, so I called to-day.

Mr. Subbubs—Well, well, how like poker this social game is.

Mrs. Subbubs—What do you mean?

Mr. Subbubs—Why, in poker, you also "call" when you want to see what the other person's got.—Philadelphia Press.

His Dream.

Towne—Do you believe in dreams? Browne—I used to, but I don't any more.

Towne—Not as superstitious as you were, eh?

Browne—Oh, it wasn't a question of superstition. I was in love with one once, and she flitted me.—Catholic Standard and Times.

Same Feeling.

"And haven't you ever taken a ride in an automobile?" asked the man with the new machine, pityingly.

"No," replied the plain person, "but I fell out of a third-story window once."—Philadelphia Press.

Perils.

"Isn't there danger," said the timid man, "of dropping things from an alship on the people below?"

"That isn't the worst," answered the candid inventor. "You're lucky if the whole airship doesn't fall on you."—Washington Star.

The Tempered Wind.

Jim (regarding damage done to church by fire)"Good job it wasn't a factory, Bill."

Bill—"You're right, mate. Only one man put out of work, and he draws his money."—Boston Transcript.

Bright College Years.

"Smith tells me he has been graduated from an automobile school."

"Yes; he feelingly refers to it as alma motor."—Puck.

TRUMPET CALLS.**Ram's Horn Sounds a Warning Note to the Unredeemed.**

A spineless cactus may be a good thing, but a spineless man is not wanted anywhere.

Diplomas for rulership are given to those only who learn their lessons well in the school of obedience.

God never occupies neutral ground. Bargain counter religion is never worth taking home.

The way to reach any throne is to take at least one step toward it every day.

The hard grinding of this world is the forge on which the Almighty hammers out manhood.

The people who accomplish what appears to be the least in life have often made the bravest effort.

The mean man has to make himself believe that everybody else is mean, to be able to endure himself.

The man who is crooked enough to hide behind a corkscrew is always talking about the hypocrites in the church.

Many a man who might be doing a millionaire business for the Lord is running a little peanut stand for himself.

The man who is willing to go into business for the Lord will not be kept out for want of capital with which to start.

A great deal of that for which some of us expect credit as gold and silver, will go down on the recording angel's book as hay and stubble.

PROVING HIMSELF.

It is a wise man who proves his worth before he speaks them. A story of an old Pennsylvania settler shows shrewdness in this direction, as well as a pardonable pride in prowess. The hero of the anecdote was Gabriel Schuler, a pioneer who was hale in his old age.

One day Schuler broke in upon a company of farmers who were gathered in a workshop. The old man carried an ax on his shoulder.

"Let some one turn the grindstone for me," he said.

For a long time he sharpened the instrument with the greatest solemnity. Some present thought he had lost his senses. Finally he shouldered the ax and said:

"Let each one follow me."

The farmers thought that this summons might mean that an attack was to be made on the Indians, and they asked:

"Shall we take arms?"

"Do as you please," replied Schuler.

Each man seized his rifle and followed the old settler. He led them to an open place in the woods.

"Now," said Schuler, stopping, "let each go into the woods and select a fine large tree. When you hear my trumpet, return."

The men, wondering, did as they were bid. When the trumpet blew they gathered once more about Schuler. The sage, led by the farmers, examined each tree selected.

"Many of them are very fine," he pronounced, "but none equals this oak."

So it was. He had picked out the finest. He threw off his jacket and began to cut. When he had hewed half way through he changed his ax from his right hand to his left, and went on without changing position or saying a word. In an hour he had cut way through, and the tree fell. Mounting the stump, Schuler addressed the farmers:

"To-day I am one hundred years old, and I would bear evidence of my strength. I would like to have your promise that the tree shall stay as it fell."

The old man's request was granted, and the prostrate oak remained for many years to be a monument to the strength of the century-old Pennsylvanian.

Schuler lived nearly ten years after this incident.

A Feminine Characteristic.

The London suffragettes drew up before a government building. Each carried a stone.

"I am glad there are so many hundreds of windows in this structure," said the leader.

"Why," inquired her spectacled lieutenant.

"Because I don't think it is possible for me to miss them all."

Whereupon she threw and smote a fellow suffragette severely in the neck.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Some Heights in the Catskills.

The height of some of the tallest and most interesting mountains in the Catskills is as follows: Slide mountain, 4,220 feet; Hunter mountain, 4,052; Black Dome, 4,004; Thomas Cole mountain, 3,975; Mount Cornell, 3,920; Peak of Moose mountain, 3,875; the Wittenberg, 3,824; Sugar Loaf, 3,807; High Peak, 3,800; Panther mountain, 3,800; Windham High Peak, 3,534; North mountain, 3,450; Overlook mountain, 3,300; Plattsburgh mountain, 3,200; Onteora mountain, 2,685.

Hint to Dance Alone.

"Can I have this dance?" asked the cello youth.

"Why, certainly," replied the haughty beauty; "I don't want it."

YOUNG FOLKS**Jessie's Sewing Aches.**

Jessie sat down by her mother to sew. She was making a pillow case for her own little pillow.

"All this?" she asked, in a discontented tone, holding the seam out.

"That is not too much for a little girl who has a work basket of her own," said her mother.

"Yes," thought Jessie, "mother has given me a work basket, and I ought to be willing to sew." With that she took a few stitches quite diligently.

"I have a dreadful pain in my side," said Jessie in a few minutes. "My thumb is very sore," she complained. "Oh, my hand is so tired!" was the next.

Next there was something the matter with her foot, and then with her eyes, and so she was full of trouble.

At length the sewing was done and Jessie brought it to her mother.

"Should I not first send for a doctor?" asked her mother.

"The doctor for me, mother?" cried the little girl, as surprised as she could be.

"Certainly a little girl so full of palus and aches must be ill, and the sooner we have the doctor the better."

"O mother," said Jessie, laughing, "they were sewing aches. I am well now."

Ojibway Ball Game.

This is the most popular sport among the 30,000 members of the Ojibway tribe. Entire villages engage in it, each side choosing a leader.

Each player is armed with a long stick, on the end of which is a small hoop, four inches in circumference. To this is attached a net of rawhide just large enough to hold the ball. At the distance of 400 paces from each other two poles are driven into the ground for goals. The object of each side is to get the ball into the net at the end of the playing stick and to strike the opposing goal with it. The player who succeeds wins the game for his side.

As the players on one side try to block the way to the goal for opponents and to keep the ball away from them, the result is a lively scrimmage. The two sides being lined up, the ball is thrown between them at the beginning of the game and is kept in lively movement until the contest ends.

On the outskirts of the struggling players are stationed skirmishers. They run with it to the goal. These skirmishers are chosen for their fleetness of foot. Now and then the ball will fly out from the struggling group and, catching it in the little basket at the end of his playing stick, an outfielder will speed with it for the goal, pursued by the rest of the players. The opposite side tries to catch him before he can touch the goal, while those on his own side interfere with this pursuit.

He is encouraged by cries of "Ha-ha-ya!" and "A-ne-zook!" All join in the shouts, even the papposes.

Now and then a player will strike the ball and send it in the air. As it comes down another player sends it up again. Sometimes for ten minutes it will not touch the ground. Then both players and spectators reach the wildest pitch of enthusiasm. This game could be played with much enjoyment by the "pal-faces"—Chicago News.

Elephants and White Ants.

Some American engineers, in constructing a power-transmission line in India, had several things to consider and avoid that had never confronted them before, perhaps. The line, which was nearly a hundred miles in length, was carried on tall poles through the jungle, and in constructing it the ravages of white ants and the playful pranks of wild elephants had to be provided against. That sounds amusing, but the engineers found it a serious problem. The ants attacked the first poles set and fairly riddled them; and the elephants reached up with their trunks and tore down the wires. So iron sockets seven feet in height were used to set the poles in, which circumvented the ants; and after a careful measurement of the highest reach of an elephant's trunk, the poles were made tall enough to keep the wires out of the way.

Experts in Hand Writing.

Experts in handwriting are often called on to read in it individual traits of character, and there is no doubt that they can do it. Typewriting has now become so common that similar tests are being applied to it. Here is a case in point: In a law suit in England recently, experts showed that one of the pages of a long typewritten document had been substituted for another. They found the difference in the spacing, the punctuation, the paragraphing and the appearance of the letters, the latter depending on the touch of the fingers. The experts further said that the writer of the substituted page was a young woman; that she was nervous, not strong, of only

fair education, and a beginner in type-writing. Thus, you see, no matter what we do, we leave a sort of character-trail behind us.

TRIES MODERN STEERAGE.**League Official and His Family Travel with Immigrants.**

N. Behar, managing director of the National Liberal Immigration League, of which Edward Lauterbach is president, returned yesterday in the steerage of the Holland-America steamship Rotterdam, with his son-in-law, David Varon, professor of architecture in Syracuse university, Mrs. Varon and their two children, says the New York Sun.

Mr. Behar sailed from New York in the steerage of the French liner La Lorraine on July 2. His object was to study conditions in the steerage. He said he had found the La Lorraine not so well equipped as the Rotterdam, because the latter was a brand-new ship and the La Lorraine was eight years old. He found even the Rotterdam lacking in men's baths, but she was almost perfect otherwise in the steerage. He asked an officer about baths for men and the officer said they were useless, because the immigrants would not bathe. The children of immigrants, however, were properly bathed by stew-ardesses.

Men immigrants, Mr. Behar said, were many of them simply grown children, and it was necessary to persuade them to take proper care of themselves or induce them to do the things which were beneficial to them. The new French line ship Chicago, intended chiefly for second-class and steerage passengers, was almost an ideal craft of its kind. Mr. Behar will report to the league that all steerages should be provided with plenty of baths, that the ship's officers should encourage bathing and have each ship provided with libraries for immigrants, with books in several languages, most of the books to relate to America and its history, government, and physical conditions, with pictures and maps.

Mr. Behar said he lived with his relatives entirely in the steerage on both ships, took the same fare as that given to the immigrants and found it good. He found the steerage very much superior to what it had been less than ten years ago and was very hopeful of getting it still better by legislation and agitation.

THE HOUSE FLY.**Set of Rules to Apply Against This Menace to Health.**

When Josh Billings summed it all up by exclaiming "Darn a fly!" he had in mind merely the annoying ways of this pestiferous creature, the particular bane of the bald-headed man, and all-around nuisance, in summer, to all ages, sexes, kinds and conditions of mankind.

Within recent years, however, it has become generally known that the ordinary house fly is not merely an abominable nuisance, but a great menace to health, through its facility and activity in distributing the germs of some of the worst diseases. It is along this latter line that a crusade against the house fly is entered upon by some of our health committees and associations, one of the best and most active of which has issued the following set of rules:

Keep the flies away from the sick, especially those ill with contagious diseases. Kill every fly that strays into the sick room. His body is covered with disease germs.

Do not allow decaying material of any sort to accumulate in or near your premises.

Cover food after a meal; burn or bury all table refuse.

Screen all food exposed for sale. Screen all windows and doors, especially the kitchen and dining room.

Pour kerosene into the drains. Screen all food.

Keep receptacles for garbage carefully covered and the cans cleaned or sprinkled with oil or lime.

If there is no dirt and filth there will be no flies.

It is aptly remarked by the Syracuse Post-Standard that, unpleasant as the subject is, no apology is needed for giving all possible publicity to these rules. "Thousands of deaths from typhoid fever," it adds, "every year are due to the house fly. It is quite certain that if the real peril to human life from the activities of the house fly were understood there would be less carelessness on the part of householders in exposing food to the contamination of these vermin, and less carelessness on the part of municipal authorities in permitting grocers and street vendors to do so."—Albany Argus.

A Few Human Bromides.

Now that surgery has advanced to a point where diseased or defective parts of the human body may be removed and replaced with those from an animal, it is presumed that the following will no longer be regarded as mere nature fakes. The man with the eagle eye, the man with the lion heart, the man with the chicken liver, the man with the bull neck, the man with the pig head and the man with the dog face.—New York World.

No, Cordelia, blunt sentences are not always written with a stub pen.

The older a man grows the surer he feels that he won't be found out.

Night Sweats & Cough.

E. W. Walton, Condr. S. P. Ry., 717 Van Ness St., San Antonio, Tex., writes: "During the summer and fall of 1902, my annoyance from catarrh reached that stage where it was actual misery and developed alarming symptoms, such as a very deep-seated cough, night sweats, and pains in the head and chest. I experimented with several so-called remedies before I finally decided to take a thorough course of Peruna."

"Two of my friends had gone so far as to inform me that the thing for me to do was to resign my position and seek a higher, more congenial climate. Everyone thought I had consumption and I was not expected to live very long."

"Having procured some Peruna, I decided to give it a thorough test and applied myself assiduously to the task of taking it, as per instructions, in the meantime."

"The effects were soon apparent, all alarming symptoms disappeared and my general health became fully as good as it had ever been in my life."

"I have resorted to the use of Peruna on two or three occasions since that time to cure myself of bad colds."

Saving Time.

"Well," hawled the bill collector in the hallway below, through the mouthpiece pertaining to the occupant of the top flat, "are you ready to settle that little account? Will it be of any use for me to climb the stairway? Why don't you speak up?"

"Because, sir," answered a soft, gentle voice through the tube, "I am trying to speak down. No, it won't be of any use."—Chicago Tribune.

TEN YEARS OF BACKACHE.**Thousands of Women Suffer in the Same Way.**

Mrs. Thos. Dunn, 153 Vine St., Columbus, Ohio, says: "For more than ten years I was in misery with backache. The simplest housework completely exhausted me. I had no strength or ambition, was nervous and suffered headache and dizzy spells."

After these years of pain I was despairing of ever being cured when Doan's Kidney Pills came to my notice and their use brought quick relief and a permanent cure. I am very grateful."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

His Alternative.

It is best to keep one's personal dignity at whatever cost. A befitting sense of what is due one never comes amiss, even within prison precincts. This truth was appreciated by an Irishman whose expression of it is quoted by Michael McDonagh, in "Irish Life and Character." The prisoner, refractory and obstinate, flatly refused to work in the treadmill.

The man was brought before the Governor of the prison for disobedience. The Governor asked him what reason he could give for not following out his orders.

"Me go on the treadmill!" exclaimed the prisoner, drawing himself up to his full height of offended dignity. "Never, sir! I'd rather have the jail first!"

A Golf Story.

L. C. Hull, the young American who won nearly all the important events in the Freshman sports at Oxford University, is good at every game but golf. At Shinnecock Hills, one afternoon, a New York athlete saw Mr. Hull retiring towards the dressing rooms disconsolately.

"How many holes have you played?" the New Yorker asked.

"Only three or four," said Mr. Hull.

"Only three or four in two hours?" cried the New Yorker.

"Well," explained Mr. Hull, "it takes me so long to put the turf back."

"THE PALE GIRL."**Did Not Know Coffee Was The Cause.**

In cold weather some people think a cup of hot coffee good to help keep warm. So it is—for a short time but the drug—caffeine—acts on the heart to weaken the circulation and the reaction is to cause more chilliness.

There is a hot, wholesome drink which a Dak. girl found after a time, makes the blood warm and the heart strong.

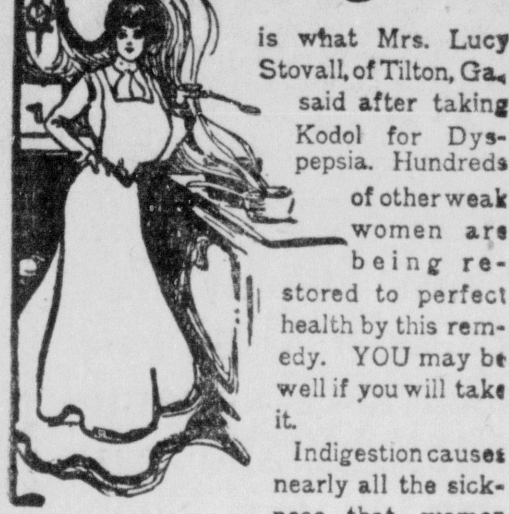
She says:

"Having lived for five years in N. Dak., I have used considerable coffee owing to the cold climate. As a result I had a dull headache regularly, suffered from indigestion, and had no 'life' in me."

"I was known as 'the pale girl' and people thought I was just weakly. After a time I had heart trouble and became very nervous, never knew what it was to be real well. Took medicine but it never seemed to do any good."

"Since being married my husband and I both have thought coffee was harming us and we would quit, only to begin again, although we felt it was the same as poison to us."

STRONG Again



is what Mrs. Lucy Stovall, of Tilton, Ga., said after taking Kodol for Dyspepsia. Hundreds of other weak women are being restored to perfect health by this remedy. YOU may be well if you will take it.

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enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest and assimilate all of the wholesome food that may be eaten. It nourishes the body, and rebuilds the weak organs, restoring health and strength. Kodol relieves indigestion, constipation, dyspepsia, sour risings, belching, heartburn and all stomach disorders.

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THE HOOSIER LIMITEDS leave Seymour northbound for Columbus, Edinburg, Franklin, Greenwood and Indianapolis at: 10:16 a. m., 1:16, 4:16 and 9:16 p. m.

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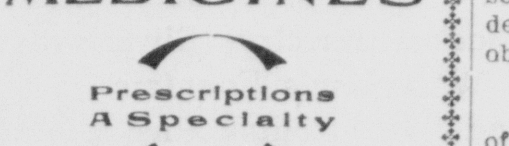
TIME TABLE

North Bound.		
	No. 4.	No. 6.
Lv Seymour	12:30 p.m.	5:35 p.m.
Lv Bedford	1:50 p.m.	6:54 p.m.
Lv Odon	2:58 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
Lv Elora	3:08 p.m.	8:10 p.m.
Lv Beehunter	3:20 p.m.	8:22 p.m.
Lv Linton	3:34 p.m.	8:36 p.m.
Lv Jasonville	3:56 p.m.	9:01 p.m.
Ar Terre Haute	4:50 p.m.	9:55 p.m.
No. 26, Mixed, Leaves Seymour at 7:40 a. m., arrive at Bedford 10:30 a. m.		
South Bound		
	No. 1.	No. 3.
Lv Terre Haute	7:00 a.m.	11:15 a.m.
Lv Jasonville	7:53 a.m.	12:09 p.m.
Lv Linton	8:12 a.m.	12:29 p.m.
Lv Beehunter	8:24 a.m.	12:41 p.m.
Lv Elora	8:36 a.m.	12:55 p.m.
Lv Odon	8:47 a.m.	1:05 p.m.
Lv Bedford	10:05 a.m.	2:20 p.m.
Ar Seymour	11:15 a.m.	3:35 p.m.

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Discoverer of Tubercle Bacilla Given Fine Reception.

GREAT MEETING OF SCIENTISTS

International Association to Combat the Inroads of the Great White Plague Brings Together at Washington One of the Most Notable Gatherings Ever Assembled in the National Capital—Special Honors and Attention Were Paid Dr. Koch, the Man to Whom the World Owes So Much.

Washington, Sept. 29.—One of the most notable gatherings ever assembled in the national capital was witnessed when medical scientists representing every civilized nation united with their brothers in America, in an effort to solve the problem of how best to cope with tuberculosis. The great auditorium of the new National Museum was filled with men who have consecrated their best talents to the study of tuberculosis, representatives of the sovereigns of foreign countries, high officials of government. The keynote of every utterance reflected the hope that the day is not far distant when medical science shall triumph over the great scourge. When Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou, as the personal representative of the president of the United States, officially declared the congress open, there were grouped on the platform such distinguished men as Dr. Robert Koch, the discoverer of the tubercle bacilli; Dr. A. Calmette of Paris; Prof. Bernard Bang of Denmark; Dr. Arthur Newshole of London; Dr. G. Sims Woodhead of Cambridge, England; Dr. Clemens Von Pierquet, Dr. R. W. Philip of Edinburgh, founder of the first tuberculosis dispensary; Prof. L. Landouzy, Dr. N. Tendeloo of Leyden; Dr. Simon Von Unterberger, honorary physician to his majesty's court of St. Petersburg; Dr. Camillo Callaja of Madrid, and many others. Among the members of the diplomatic corps present was Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese minister.

When Dr. Koch arose to respond in behalf of the German government there was a remarkable demonstration in his honor, men and women waving hats and handkerchiefs for nearly five minutes.

The official welcome on behalf of the United States government was extended by Secretary Cortelyou. Then followed the responses of the official representatives of thirty foreign countries. When his name was called, Dr. Koch declared that the German takes a particular interest in all that tends toward the solution of the tuberculosis problem, and that his government would watch with the keenest interest the deliberations of this congress. The tuberculosis situation in Germany, he said, has become distinctly favorable during the past three decades, the mortality from tuberculosis in Prussia having been reduced practically one-half. "We are active in trying not only to maintain but enhance the diminution," said the speaker. For a more thorough study of tuberculosis in all its aspects, and in order to find new ways and means for effectually combating tuberculosis, the Robert Koch Stiftung has been created. All nations, he added, would be benefited by the work of that institution.

Dr. Jee, the Chinese delegate, declared that notwithstanding tuberculosis has a strong hold upon his country, his government was doing little for the prevention of this disease. He expressed the hope that the next congress would be held in China.

Spectacular Mountain Fire. Saranac Lake, N. Y., Sept. 29.—The fires on Mt. Baker are burning with renewed fury, fanned by a high wind which is spreading the conflagration with great rapidity. A brief shower early yesterday gave hope that rain would extinguish the flames, but this hope was soon dispelled, as only a few drops fell. Mt. Baker resembles a volcano in eruption, the summit being capped with dense columns of thick smoke, while the sides are living rivers of fire. The Trudeau cottage sanitarium here is menaced and nothing short of a heavy downpour can save it.

They Overdid It. Kokomo, Ind., Sept. 29.—Believing that the local option law would cut off the whisky supply, Charles Thresher and Charles and William Lindley on Sunday took a jug of whisky to a gravel pit to have a farewell drink. Thresher and William Lindley were found dead in the gravel pit Monday and Charles Lindley was found lying near the bodies in a dying condition. Teachers and pupils of the Greentown school, near the pit, marched past the dead bodies to give the children an object lesson in temperance.

The appeal of the Noble State bank of Oklahoma from the decision of the supreme court of that state in the proceedings of the bank, which was instituted to test the constitutionality of the Oklahoma bank guarantee law, has been docketed in the supreme court of the United States.

A Traveling Man's Experience.

"I must tell you my experience on an east bound O. R. & N. R. R. train from Pendleton to LeGrande, Ore," writes Sam A. Garber, a well known traveling man. "I was in the smoking department with some other traveling men when one of them went out into the coach and came back and said, 'There is a woman sick unto death in the car. I at once got up and went out. I found her very ill with cramp colic, her hands and her arms were drawn up so you could not straighten them, and with a deathlike look on her face. Two or three ladies were working with her and giving her whiskey. I went to my suitcase and got my bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I never travel without it, ran to the water tank, put a double dose of the medicine in the glass, poured some water into it and stirred it with a pencil; then I had quite a time to get the ladies to let me give it to her, but I succeeded. I could at once see the effect and I worked with her, rubbing her hands, and in twenty minutes I gave her another dose. By this time we were almost into LeGrande, where I was to leave the train. I gave the bottle to the husband to be used in case another dose should be needed but by the time the train ran into LeGrande she was all right and I received the thanks of every passenger in the car. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

The Uses of Peat.

According to Work, peat does not form a very good fuel on account of its lightness, the intensity of the heat, which is not lasting; the small quantity of organic matter and the large quantity of mineral matter and water it contains. It is good for stable bedding and packing purposes. It is used also in the manufacture of paper. In this respect it may be observed that some of the most artistic pictorial post cards sold in Ireland are a product of peat and form a most successful groundwork for picturesque scenes, with which the country abounds.

Best Treatment for a Burn.

If for no other reason, Chamberlain's Salve should be kept in every household on account of its great value in the treatment of burns. It allays the pain almost instantly and unless the injury is a severe one, heals the parts without leaving a scar. This salve is also unequalled for chapped hands, sore nipples and diseases of the skin. Price 25c. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

A Broad Hint.

"Miss Deeply does make some of the most inapt quotations," remarked Bragg. "Yes?" queried Newitt. "What, for instance?" "Well, last night I remarked that I always avoided political discussions because I didn't want to make a fool of myself, and she said, 'One cannot paint the lily or gild refined gold.'"—Philadelphia Press.

Good For Biliousness.

"I took two of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver tablets last night, and I feel fifty per cent better than I have for weeks," says J. J. Firestone of Allegan, Mich. "They are certainly a fine article for biliousness." For sale by C. W. Milhous.

Mistress—I don't want you to have so much company. You have more callers in one day than I have in a whole week.

Domestic—Well, mum, perhaps if you'd try to be a little more agreeable you'd have as many friends as I have.—Boston Traveler

For a Sprained Ankle.

A sprained ankle may be cured in about one-third the time usually required by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely and giving it absolutely rest. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

Mother—What did Mrs. Meany give you for cutting her grass? Willie—Nothing.

Mother—Why, she promised you 10 cents, didn't she? Willie—Yes, but I used her sickle, and she charged me 10 cents for the use of it.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

A tickling or dry cough can be quickly loosened with Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. No opium, no chloroform, nothing unsafe or harsh. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

An inch of rain falling upon an area of one square mile is equivalent to nearly 17,500,000 gallons, weighing 145,250,000 pounds, or 75,625 tons.

The little Candy Cold Cure Tablets called Preventives, will in a few hours safely check all Colds or LaGrippe. Try them. 48-25c. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

Clarence—Miss Sharpun has brains enough for two, by Jove! Florence—Then why don't you marry her, Clarence?

Pains of women, head pains, or any pain stopped in 20 minutes sure, with Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. See full formula on 25c box. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

It is said that washing the hair in rainwater and soft soap and rinsing in cold ordinary water makes the hair soft and silky.

She—Do you believe in love at first sight? He—I never did until I met you.—Somerville Journal.

TOO MANY WIVES

Wealthy Half-Caste Chinaman Detained at Port.

San Francisco, Sept. 29.—Robert Hu Tung Bosman, the Hong Kong millionaire, who with two wives and three children, arrived here from the Orient on the steamer Korea Sunday, will be deported to the land whence they came. This decision was reached by a special board of inquiry, after an exhaustive examination. The testimony upon which Inspector Dr. D. J. Griffiths based his ruling denying them the privilege of landing was reviewed, and the action of the Inspector fully sustained.

It is understood that Bosman, who desires to travel for pleasure and the benefit of his health in this country, will appeal from the decision of the board of inquiry to Secretary Straus at Washington. He frankly admits his practice of polygamy, in which he sees no harm. He is of a Dutch father and Chinese mother and is a prominent citizen of Hong Kong.

HASKELL'S SUCCESSOR CALLED ON TO EXPLAIN

Labor Unions Express Hostility Toward Herman Ridder.

New York, Sept. 29.—Herman Ridder, the newly elected treasurer of the Democratic national committee, succeeding Governor Charles N. Haskell, resigned, said today that he would on Sunday next appear before the Central Federated Union and answer the charge that he was hostile to union labor, made against him by certain delegates at a meeting of that body last Sunday.

Mr. Ridder was visited by a delegation from the union and he informed them that instead of giving them his answer he wished to be invited to



HERMAN RIDDER.

make his defense personally. The committee assured him that such an invitation would be extended. Mr. Ridder declared that the allegation that he was hostile to union labor was false and that he had always employed union men.

Mr. Ridder, speaking of the duties of his new office as collector and custodian of the funds for the national Democratic campaign said: "I will devote all my energy to collecting funds for a successful campaign. All names of contributors and amounts contributed will be made public on Oct. 15, and sums received after that date up to the close of the campaign will be published daily."

He also said that he would obey Mr. Bryan's instructions in refusing contributions from favor-seeking trusts and corporations and that contributions would not be accepted from persons who expected favors in return.

Slain by Burglar.

Greencastle, Ind., Sept. 29.—Ottis Hendren, night agent at the interurban station in this city, was murdered by an unknown man at 10:30 o'clock last night. Although no one witnessed the crime, it is thought the assassin entered the ticket office for the purpose of robbery. He ordered Hendren to open the money drawer, and on his refusal promptly shot the agent through the heart. The robber then attempted to open the drawer, but finding it locked, ran out of the station and made good his escape.

The Cholera Situation.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 29.—The cholera continues to decrease. The number of new cases in the municipal hospitals for the twenty-four hours ended at noon Monday was 263, and the deaths 192. The statistics for the previous twenty-four hours were 268 and 143 respectively. Eight hospital attendants have come down with the disease and as a result the other attendants are in a state of panic. Great difficulty is being encountered in persuading them to remain at their posts.

Drunken Mob's Work.

Jellico, Tenn., Sept. 29.—At Authras Baptist church, near here, a mob of drunken men fired into the congregation just as it was dismissed. John Bennett, J. W. McKinney and Edward Thomas were killed. The Rev. J. King, the pastor, was fatally wounded, and a man named Gibson was injured. The church is near a blind tiger, where the men had been drinking.

RACE FOR THE PENNANT

How the Teams in the Big Leagues Stand at This Time.

National League.		
	Won.	Lost.
New York	91	52
Chicago	93	54
Pittsburgh	92	55
Philadelphia	78	65
Cincinnati	71	77
Boston	62	84
Brooklyn	48	97
St. Louis	49	98

At New York—R.H.E. Philadelphia 0 0 0 2 0 1 3 0 0—6 13 4 New York... 0 0 4 0 0 1 0 0 2—7 13 2 Batteries—Corridon, Doolin; McGinnity, Wiltse, Bresnahan.

At Boston—R.H.E. Boston... 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1—3 6 3 Brooklyn... 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 6 1 Batteries—Flaherty, Graham; Rucker, Dunn.

American League.		
	Won.	Lost.
Detroit	84	61
Cleveland	81	62
Chicago	83	62
St. Louis	80	65
Boston	70	74
Philadelphia	65	77
Washington	61	79
New York	48	95

At St. Louis—R.H.E. St. Louis... 2 2 1 1 0 0 2 4 *—12 12 1 New York... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 5 3 Batteries—Peltz, Spencer; Warhop, Blair, Sweeney.

Second Game—R.H.E. St. Louis... 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—2 4 0 New York... 1 0 0 1 0 0 0—3 11 2 Batteries—Graham, Smith; Wilson, Blair.

At Chicago—R.H.E. Chicago... 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—2 7 2 Boston... 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0—2 6 2 Batteries—Smith, White, Schreck, Shaw; Young, Criger. Called by darkness.

At Detroit—R.H.E. Detroit... 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 *—4 8 0 Washington... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1 6 1 Batteries—Killian, Schmidt; Hughes, Street.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

Two men were killed and a number injured as a result of political disturbances in Cuba Sunday.

The long protracted drought in western Pennsylvania, eastern Ohio and West Virginia is effectually broken.

The fall race meeting at Louisville began with a crowd of only 3,000 people present, and the betting was light.

Charles Van Schwanebach, ex-controller of the Russian empire, and ex-minister of agriculture, is dead at Magdeburg.

In a "class scrap" at the Delphi (Ind.) high school revolvers were brought into play and one of the boys was perhaps fatally shot.

The cholera epidemic in Russia is increasing, says a cablegram to the marine hospital service from a European representative of that bureau.

Japan is about to withdraw a large portion of the Japanese corps now stationed in north China, leaving only a small number at Peking and Tien Tsin.

Big crowds, manifesting both interest and enthusiasm, have surrounded the Taft party wherever it stopped in its course through Minnesota and North Dakota.

A city railway car got beyond control at Wheeling, W. Va., dashed down a heavy grade, left the rails at a sharp curve and crashed into a house and telegraph pole. One person was killed and six injured.

M. Iswolski, the Russian foreign minister, has arrived at Desio, Italy on a visit to Signor Titoni, the Italian foreign minister, and it is expected that there will be important results from the conference.

According to figures compiled in the general land office, receipts on account of the sales of public lands during the last fiscal year amounted to \$11,492,453. There were 201,953 entries, covering 18,938,836 acres.

The Prussian Academy of Science, an association of eminent men under the patronage of the government, has inherited the sum of \$7,500,000 from a banker named Sampson. The money is to be expended for scientific purposes.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Prevailing Current Prices for Grain and Livestock.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock. Wheat—Wagon, \$1.00; No. 2 red, \$1.00 1/2. Corn—No. 2, 80c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 50c. Hay—Clover, \$10.00 @ 11.00; timothy, \$11.00 @ 12.00; mixed, \$10.00 @ 11.00. Cattle—\$3.50 @ 6.50. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 7.30. Sheep—\$2.50 @ 3.75. Lambs—\$3.00 @ 5.25. Receipts—1,500 hogs; 750 cattle; 100 sheep.

At Cincinnati. Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.06. Corn—No. 2, 80c. Oats—No. 2, 50 1/2c. Cattle—\$2.25 @ 5.25. Hogs—\$3.75 @ 7.25. Sheep—\$1.50 @ 3.85. Lambs—\$4.00 @ 6.00.

At Chicago. Wheat—No. 2 red, 01.01 1/2. Corn—No. 2, 79 3/4c. Oats—No. 3, 50c. Cattle—Steers, \$4.75 @ 7.60; stockers and feeders, \$3.00 @ 4.50. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 7.25. Sheep—\$3.00 @ 4.50. Lambs—\$4.25 @ 5.25.

Livestock at New York. Cattle—\$3.75 @ 6.30. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 7.10. Sheep—\$3.00 @ 4.25. Lambs—\$4.50 @ 5.65.

At East Buffalo. Cattle—\$4.50 @ 6.50. Hogs—\$3.50 @ 7.50. Sheep—\$2.00 @ 3.75. Lambs—\$5.00 @ 5.75.

Wheat at Toledo. May, \$1.06 1/2; Dec., \$1.03 1/2; cash, \$1.02 1/2.

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SUNDAY, October 4th, 1908

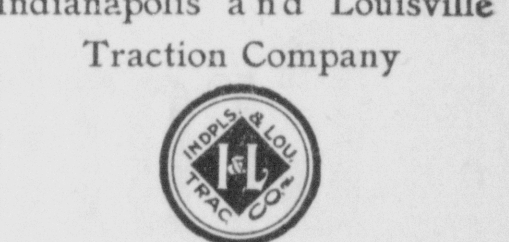
Special Train Leaves Seymour at 8:45 a. m. \$1.25 for the Round Trip.

ATTRACTIONS:

Base Ball—Cincinnati vs. St. Louis. Zoological Garden, Eden Park and Art Museum. Matinees at all Theatres Sunday afternoon. For further information see small handbills or call at B. & O. Ticket Office.

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In Effect Sept. 12, 1908.

THE HOOSIER LIMITEDS leave Seymour northbound for Columbus, Edinburg, Franklin, Greenwood and Indianapolis at: 10:14 a. m., 1:14, 4:14 and 9:14 p. m.

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Cars make direct connections at Seymour with cars of the I. C. & S. Traction Co., for Indianapolis and intermediate points, also with trains of the B. & O. R. R. and Southern Indiana R. R. for all points east and west of Seymour.

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It is the weak nerves that are crying out for help. Then help them don't drug the stomach or stimulate the heart or kidneys. That is wrong.

Vitalize these weak inside nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative and see how fast good health will come to you again. Test it and see. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

"But," said the judge, "you provoked the fight."

"No, I didn't," replied Cassidy, the prisoner.

"But you struck the first blow. Why did you do that?"

"Because he said to me, 'If I'm one, ye're another,' and so I soaked him."

"Health Coffee" is the cleverest imitation of real coffee ever yet made. Dr. Shoop created it from pure parched grains, malt nuts, etc., Fine in flavor—is made in just one minute. No 20 or 30 minutes tedious boiling. Sample free. For sale by C. E. Abel.

Stranger—This village boasts of a band, doesn't it? Resident—No; we just endure it with resignation.

Don't be afraid to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to your children. It contains no opium or other harmful drug. It always cures. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, '08.

TOM TAGGART, the boss of Indiana democracy, now proposes to read out of his party all democrats who stand

for temperance. He is sorely disappointed over the local option legislation. He knows the temper of the people better than he did and understands that the democrats have no chance to win in Indiana this year of 1908.

Advertised Letters

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office.

LADIES.

Miss Ruth Finley.
Miss Jennie Person.

GENTS.

Mr. Adolphus Bender.
WM. P. MASTERS, P. M.
Seymour, Sept. 28, 1908.

REPUBLICAN Want Ads. Pay.

Heavy Betting.

Not a title of the betting takes place on the turf nowadays that existed in what is known as the "Hastings era." The plunging that took place on Hermit's Derby has never been equaled in the annals of the race. The Marquis of Hastings lost over \$500,000 and Lord Stamford almost as much. Sir Joseph Hawley lost over \$250,000 in one bet through backing his horse, The Palmer, against Hermit, for that amount with the owner of the latter. When Hermit was knocked down to Mr. Chaplin as a yearling at the Eltham stud auction for \$5,000, Mr. C. J. Merry bought the very next lot led into the sale ring for a similar sum. This horse he christened Marksman. He backed his purchase against that of Mr. Chaplin with that gentleman for \$50,000 in the blue ribbon of 1857, and he lost his wager by the narrow margin of a neck.

TAFT IS COMING

The Nominee to Make a Tour of the Hoosier State.

Indianapolis, Ind., September 29.—It was announced at Republican headquarters today that W. H. Taft will make a tour of Indiana in a special train. The state committee has not yet learned the time when he will make his swing through the state. The list of places where he will speak will be arranged soon by Will H. Hays, chairman of the speakers' bureau. If President Roosevelt decides to enter the campaign actively he will speak in Indiana. The state committee has this assurance. It is expected that he will deliver several speeches during the last part of the campaign. The state committee has been informed from national headquarters that Senator Beveridge is in great demand. In recognition of the sacrifice Indiana makes in giving Senator Beveridge to the national campaign the national committee assigned Governor Hughes, James S. Sherman, candidate for vice president, and Seth Low, ex-mayor of New York, to speak in Indiana. All arrangements have been completed for the visit of Mr. Sherman. Mr. Hays announced today that the first big Sherman meeting in this state will be at Muncie next Monday afternoon, when Mr. Sherman will be the speaker at the Eighth district rally. Congressman Samuel W. McCall of the Eighth Massachusetts district will also speak at the big rally.

The Democrats and Republican "insurgents" in the house "played horse" with Governor Hanly's night rider bill. They picked it to pieces and may yet kill it. Reports were made on it by two committees. The motions to postpone indefinitely were defeated, but the bill was amended so as to provide for protection for all kinds of farm products. If it becomes a law in its present form whoever destroys a growing vegetable in Indiana may be termed a night rider. The agreement to include all vegetables was made by Representative King, Republican. Representative Honan, Democrat, offered an amendment striking out the emergency clause. It was adopted. Representative Liob, Democrat, Spencer county, presented a communication signed by twenty-four Spencer county farmers, declaring in substance that no emergency exists for the enactment of such a law and that the governor got his information about conditions in the Ohio river counties from representatives of the tobacco trust and not from the growers. It is probable that the house may decide to cut the appropriation to \$5,000. Governor Hanly asked for \$15,000, but the senate cut it to \$10,000.

Governor Charles E. Hughes of New York ran into the first cold wave of the autumn in Indiana, but the reception tendered him was of the most enthusiastic kind and Republican leaders are declaring that he put much-needed ginger into the business men of their party, who have been slow to warm up to the Taft campaign. After his meeting here Governor Hughes was provided with a special train, which took him to Anderson, Marion, Wabash, Warsaw and South Bend, where he concluded his Indiana tour. He spoke to large crowds wherever he stopped. His meeting at South Bend was one of the largest ever held in northern Indiana. Thousands of people were unable to get into the hall. Senator Beveridge presided over the meeting here, paying a glowing tribute to Governor Hughes in presenting him.

The attempt of the Democratic legislators to put through a state-wide prohibition amendment to the constitution was defeated in the senate by a vote of 31 to 14. Senator Strange was the only Republican voting for the resolution, and Senator Benz the only Democrat against it. This bill had passed the house. The senate judiciary committee, headed by Senator Stephenson, reported that the resolution could not be considered, as another constitutional amendment is pending before the voters. Senators Slack and Stotsenberg, Democrats, reported in favor of the amendment and asked Attorney General Bingham for an opinion as to whether it could be considered under the constitution. An opinion by Addison C. Harris, showing that it couldn't be considered, was read.

Following an interview between Chairman Hays and the state Republican speakers' bureau and Governor Hanly, announcement was made that the governor will assume an active part in the campaign from now until election.

Night Riders After Ginners.

Mt. Pleasant, Tex., Sept. 29.—Unknown parties supposed to be night riders, posted notices on several gins in this county, instructing owners not to gin any more cotton until further notice. The notices were written in a scrawling hand with lead pencil and informed the ginners that if they operated their plants they would have to suffer the consequences. Five gins were heard from that got these notices.

Progress of Big Fleet.

Manila, Sept. 29.—Wireless communication between the Atlantic battleship fleet and the station at Zamboanga was established at 8:45 this morning.

Chicago Doctor Kills Burglar.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—A masked burglar was shot and instantly killed by Dr. Aloph Gehrman, 3816 Ellis avenue, in the doctor's home.

NEW Dress Goods For Fall

A special showing of high class Dress Fabrics, a vast display that comprises all the most desirable materials for all occasions. Beautiful and exclusive designs and patterns shown only by us, the offerings which embody exquisite weaves both for street wear and for dress are shown in a variety, almost inexhaustive. All the new weaves in rough and smooth fabrics.

CORRECT WEAVES IN BLACK GOODS

We are headquarters for the newest and best Black Goods. Our buying prestige gives you the real values.

Great showing of beautiful Fall Silks. A collection of artistically created fabrics mostly in the soft effects that lend themselves admirably to the new Directoire modes favored by Dame Fashion this season.

Extra Specials, Friday and Saturday

About 50 new Pattern Hats arrived from New York and will be placed on sale at popular prices \$4.98 and \$5.98.

SEE THEM.

They are new models.



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An Up-to-date Grocery

In the grocery line nothing counts for more than freshness. We turn our stock quickly, thus assuring our customers that what they buy is fresh and wholesome. No matter what you want in the grocery line call or phone

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BOTH PHONES.
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A BAD CASE

A Seymour man cured of a bad case of Piles by

Dr. H. I. Sherwood,

Who makes a specialty of the cure of chronic diseases, male or female.

SEYMOUR, IND., Sept. 7, 1908.

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We offer a large stock of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Gold Watches, Mantel Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Waterman's Fountain Pens, Libby's Fine Cut Glass and Fancy China Pieces.

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With Largest Exhibit in All Classes Ever Seen At a County Fair in This Section of the State.

Corn Show.

The Corn Show is great. It is not surpassed either in quality or quantity by the State Fair. Every farmer in Jackson County should see the big Corn Show.

Live Stock.

The Live Stock display is up to the high average for this fair.

Races.

Every Race has from 5 to 9 entries. Thursday's speed program will be published in full in tomorrow's Republican.

Poultry.

The Poultry department is running over. In addition to the Poultry building being filled a large tent 30x60 is filled with double tiers, double decked. Over 1000 fine birds on exhibition.

Art Hall.

The Art Hall is a place of beauty. The finest line of fancy work and art, canned fruit and kitchen work ever displayed at a county fair.

Largest and best exhibit ever seen at a County Fair in this section.

WEDNESDAY Is Base Ball Day Scottsburg vs. Brownstown

Each team strengthened by professional players will fight out their long dispute as to amateur championship of this part of Indiana.

COME BY TROLLEY OR STEAM CARS AND SEE BIGGEST FAIR IN SOUTHERN INDIANA.

Rain? Yes. Cooler? Yes. Cravenette Coats? YES.

Just the thing for this cool, rainy weather.
14 Styles to select from.
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Come and see them.

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\$2000.00 this beautiful home, 8 rooms, 4 closets, hall, gas in every room, summer kitchen, cellar, well cistern, lot 50x120, fruit and sheds and henery.

\$1500.00 this residence, lot 57x157 good location, 4 rooms and summer kitchen, sheds, McCann well, good corner lot.

\$2750.00 for this elegant residence, lot 50x150, bath room, concrete walks, furnace, cellar, sewer, barn, 6 rooms.

\$1200.00 for this fine new home, fine shade, concrete walks, well, 5 rooms, front and rear porch.

Also cheaper and higher priced city property.

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To your skin to eradicate all summer tan and other blemishes before the arrival of the stinging air of autumn and early winter. True cold cream and greaseless massage are highly important for this purpose. We prepare creams from your own recipes from best materials.

Corn Cracker promptly relieves and removes foot troubles.

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Will write any kind of
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LOANS NOTARY

PERSONAL.

J. G. Lutes, of Houston, was here Monday.

Dr. Yost came up from Valley this morning.

Tilden Smith, of Vallonia was in this city this morning.

Miss Grace McGinty is visiting relatives at Greenfield.

Rose Mitchell went to Brownstown this morning on No. 7.

E. S. Jordan made a business trip to Bedford this morning.

Alex Benham, of Crothersville, was in this city Monday evening.

Lynn Faulkner left on a business trip to Philadelphia this morning.

Oscar Mays was a passenger to Mitchell this morning on business.

Attorney Ed Elsner went to North Vernon this morning on legal business.

Joseph Freitag made a business trip south Monday on the Pennsylvania line.

Mrs. Frank Apel is here from Columbus visiting her mother, Mrs. Corthum.

Frank Hackendorf, of Brownstown, was in this city a few hours Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hodapp are spending a week with friends in Indianapolis.

James White, of Kurtz, was in this city Monday evening and remained over night.

Harry Miller made a trip to Conmiskey this morning to adjust some insurance.

Elder Harley Jackson and Arthur Jerrell made a business trip to Indianapolis yesterday.

Mrs. James Noe is here from Indianapolis visiting her parents, Geo. B. Russell and wife.

Henry Cobb left for Christianburg, Va., Monday afternoon where he will attend college.

Prosecuting Attorney Oren O. Swails was a passenger to Brownstown this morning.

M. A. St. John was at Indianapolis yesterday and heard the speech by Governor Hughes, of New York.

Albert Ahlbrand is at the Illinois State Fair at Springfield this week looking after his display of vehicles.

James Marsh, merchant at Reddington, passed through the city this morning to Crothersville to attend the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kobbe, of near Jonesville, left for Chillicothe, Mo. on No. 1 at noon Monday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clemens came up from Brownstown this morning and went to Crothersville to attend the fair.

John Russell continues to improve slowly after being confined to his home for several weeks with a severe attack of fever.

Attorney J. A. Cox, of Crothersville came here this morning and went to Brownstown to look after business in the circuit court.

Misses Emma and Ida Seekatz, of Lawrenceburg, spent Sunday with their cousin, Mrs. Wm. Abraham of North Chestnut street.

Mrs. Andy J. Ross returned home from Indianapolis Monday where she had been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Teckemeyer.

Rev. A. L. Miller, of the Seventh Day Adventist Church, returned today from North Vernon where he has been holding a series of meetings.

Chief Yeoman Dale Hodapp was here Monday. He had one applicant for the navy, Frank Corya, of Bedford, but he was rejected because of color blindness.

Mrs. Frank Howard, of Indianapolis, who has been ill for the past seven weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Ross is not much improved.

Mrs. Theodore Brunow went to Brownstown Saturday on a visit of several days with relatives and friends. Mr. Brunow joined her Monday for a short visit.

Mrs. Mary Harnish, of Xenia, O., a sister of Frank Howard and aunt of Mrs. Thomas Ross, of E. Fifth street, was in this city a few hours Monday and went to Bedford to visit relatives.

Joseph Sciarra and two friends, Fabiano and Eugene Tedeschi, were here from Cincinnati Sunday the guests of the formers' cousin, A. Sciarra and family and other relatives and friends.

Miss Aimee N. Rogers, of Loogootee, is the guest of her brother, brakeman Charles Rogers and family of E. Third street. Miss Rogers has visited here several times and has many friends in this city.

Mrs. F. Sullivan of Indianapolis and her father, Mr. Frank Howard, have returned here after a short visit with relatives and friends at Bedford. Mrs. Sullivan will return to her home at Indianapolis Wednesday.

Mrs. James Berry, of Mitchell, who stopped off here Friday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Lou Routt and family, returned home this afternoon. Mrs. Berry had been visiting her son, Robert Berry at Cincinnati.

WANT ADVERTISING

LOST—Bunch of keys. Reward. Return here. s30d

PIANO TUNING—John H. EdDaly. Work guaranteed. o23d

FOR SALE—Log team, wagon and harness. Cheap if sold at once. Kieth's grocery. o5d

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WANTED.—Second hand furniture bought and sold. No business done from Friday's sundown to Saturday's sundown. Bruce Jarvis, E. High St. s30d

FOR SALE—Team good mares with harness, at a bargain, Mrs. Fred Rust, Central avenue just north of S. I. railroad. o3d&w

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FOR SALE—Several valuable books on Freemasonry, including Gould's history in four volumes, Mitchell's history in two volumes, two monitors and other valuable books. Call and see them. Mrs. C. B. Cole. old

Weather Indications.

Fair tonight with probably frost Wednesday fair with rising temperature.

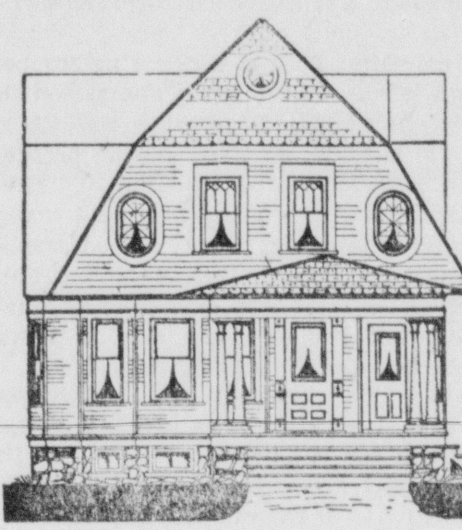
Dan O'Leary, the celebrated long distance walker, who appeared here at the Hopewell skating rink last season, was a passenger to Indianapolis this morning. His home is in Cincinnati. His fame as a walker has spread throughout the world.

That our American forests abound in plants which possess the most valuable medicinal virtues is abundantly attested by scores of the most eminent medical writers and teachers. Even the untutored Indians had discovered the usefulness of many native plants before the advent of the white race. This information, imparted freely to the whites, led the latter to continue investigations until today we have a rich assortment of most valuable American medicinal roots.

Dr. Pierce believes that our American forests abound in most valuable medicinal roots for the cure of most obstinate and fatal diseases. If we would properly investigate them; and in confirmation of this conviction, he points with pride to the almost marvelous cures effected by his "Golden Medical Discovery," which has proven itself to be the most efficient stomach tonic, liver invigorator, heart tonic and regulator, and blood cleanser known to medical science. Dyspepsia, or indigestion, torpid liver, functional and even valvular and other affections of the heart yield to its curative action. The reason why it cures these and many other affections, is clearly shown in a little book of extracts from the standard medical works which is mailed free to any address by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., to all sending request for the same.

Not less marvelous, in the unparalleled cures it is constantly making of woman's many peculiar affections, weaknesses and distressing derangements, is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, as is amply attested by thousands of unimpeachable testimonials contributed by the most careful patients who have been cured by it of catarrhal, pelvic, ovarian, period, irregularities, prolapsus and other displacements caused by weakness, ulceration of uterus and kindred affections, often after many other advertised medicines, and physicians had failed.

Both the above mentioned medicines are wholly made up from the glyceric extracts of native medicinal roots. The processes employed in their manufacture were original with Dr. Pierce, and they are carried on by skilled chemists and pharmacists with the aid of apparatus and appliances specially designed and built for this purpose. Both medicines are entirely free from alcohol and all other harmful, habit-forming drugs. A full list of their ingredients is printed on each bottle wrapper.



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A new series of stock starts each six months and the next one on Monday Oct. 5. See the secretary Thos. J. Clark for full particulars.

District Convention.

The republicans of the Fourth Congressional District are hereby called to meet in delegate convention in North Vernon at 1 p. m., on Wednesday, Sept. 30, 1908, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress. The apportionment of delegates to this convention is as follows: Bartholomew county 16 delegates, Brown 3, Dearborn 9, Jackson 10, Jefferson 13, Jennings 9, Johnson 11, Ohio 3, Ripley 12 and Switzerland 6. Total 92.


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REGRETS ALL AROUND

How Taft and Bryan Failed to Get Together at Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 28.—Wm. H. Taft and Wm. J. Bryan exchanged courtesies here Sunday. Mr. Bryan arrived here about 2 o'clock in the afternoon and immediately sent one of the men traveling with him, to the West hotel with a message to Judge Taft that he would be glad to call on him at the hotel at 5:30 in the afternoon. Mr. Taft sent word back to the Democratic leader that he would be glad to see him at that time. Mr. Taft was scheduled to speak at the dedication of a new Y. M. C. A. building at St. Paul at 2:30 o'clock, and he hurried back in an automobile to keep his engagement with Mr. Bryan. When he arrived at the hotel he found a message from the Nebraskan, which said

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Every new fabric idea and weave effect shown in our dress goods, chevron stripes, panamas, fancy serge, herringbone and many other weaves.

Our dress trimming department contains all the all the new ideas in Bands, Braids, Persian Novelties and Satins.

Each lady who visits our store this week will receive a beautiful souvenir, don't fail to come.

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ELMER E. DUNLAP,
ARCHITECT
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LOST OPPORTUNITY.

"There is a nest of thrushes in the glen: When we come back, we'll see the glad young things."

He said. We came not by the way again: And time and thrushes fare on eager wings!

"You rose"—she smiled—"but no; when we return, I'll pluck it then." 'Twas on a summer day.

The ashes of the rose in autumn's urn Lie hidden well. We came not back that way.

We do not pass the self-same way again. Or, passing by that way, no thing we find

As it before had been; but death or stain Hath come upon it, or the wasteful wind.

The very earth is envious, and her arms Reach for the beauty that detained our eyes:

Yea, it is lost beyond the aid of charms. If, once within our grasp, we leave the prize!

Thou traveler to the unknown ocean's brink, Through life's fair field, say not, "Another day"

This joy I'll prove;" for never, as I think, Never shall we come back this self-same way!

—Waverley Magazine.

THE REVERSE SIDE OF A VACATION



The August outing was decided on in May.

"Think of it, Anne!" cried Rebecca, the day the question was settled. "I have never been inside a big hotel! Think of staying in one a whole month!"

Rebecca's father puckered his brows. "Yes," returned he, with a humorous twinkle in his eyes, "and to think of the bills a big hotel is capable of sending! You girls must get enough enjoyment out of it to pay costs."

"Indeed we shall! We shall!" responded Rebecca, enthusiastically. Anne's eyes shone, but she said nothing.

"And be sure," added Rebecca's father, "not to bother sister or make Tom too much trouble."

The girls were to accompany Rebecca's aunt, whose son Tom, a Cornell senior, had promised them his aid in a "jolly good time."

"You see," Rebecca had explained to Anne, "some of the Cornell sophomores are at the hotel, and Tom will introduce them all. Oh, what fun we'll have! But I dread getting ready to go—all the sewing—don't you?"

At that Anne's eyes lost their sparkle, for into the prospective fun her father had reluctantly interjected a certain if to her mother.

"We can afford to let Anne go if there are no extra demands for clothes. Business is dull this year."

"No," returned Anne's mother, "just a substantial walking suit and a few shirt-waists, which I shall make myself. And for Anne the matter was settled."

Across the street she reported to the Browns on the dress question, and Mr. Brown smiled his relief. "That's good! Neither can I afford to tog Becky here out to any extent; anyway, you're nothing but girls. You don't need many dresses."

Rebecca and her mother exchanged glances; for Rebecca the matter was not settled.

"I can manage, I think," Mrs. Brown said, with a worried air, after the head of the house had gone. "Of course you must go well dressed. We will do the sewing ourselves and begin right away. Your father will not notice what is going on if I ask him for a little money now and then."

Anne giggled uneasily and coughed loudly, that she might not hear, but Rebecca clapped her hands joyfully.

"Summer clothes are not expensive," she cried, eagerly, "and we can make them look beautiful by putting lots of work on them!" Then she looked commiseratingly at the uncomfortable Anne. "You know there are all Tom's friends. Couldn't you get a little money at a time out of your father?" Rebecca was as honest and sensible as her training would allow her to be.

Anne rose. There was an indignant ring in her tone, but all she said was, "It's lovely of father to give me the month's outing without the new clothes!"

Then she turned to Rebecca, impulsively frank. "Anyway, Becky, I'm not so becoming to pretty dresses as you are, so it's easier to go without."

"O Anne!" protested Rebecca, weakly. Rebecca was undeniably handsome, and knew it, while Anne labored under the impression that she was "almost sallow." At least, Hilda always spoke of her younger sister's complexion in that dubious way, and Anne, having great faith in Hilda's judgment, accepted the verdict.

A few days later Anne met Rebecca

hurrying home with her hands full of thread and insertion.

"O Anne," she cried, "mother and I are making me the sweetest dainty for August! Not expensive, you know, but we are going to make it look lovely by putting lots of work on it."

They did, and it proved as lovely as Rebecca represented it. Anne ran across the street to view it a week later. She tried the front door, but it was locked. She rang the bell, but only a distant and curious rumble answered her. The back door yielded to her push, and the rumble became more distinct.

"They've taken the sewing machine upstairs," thought Anne, "where callers can't disturb them."

Tucking her tennis racket under her arm, she climbed the stairs, and came on two workers putting the last bit of lace on the dainty.

"It's a beauty," declared Anne.

"Isn't it?" Rebecca's tone was rapturous. She whirled Anne round, facing the big mirror, and held the dainty waist up in front of her.

"Why," ejaculated Anne, in surprise, "it's becoming to me!" Qwing to her being "almost sallow," Anne was always surprised to find that dainty clothes looked well on her. "How I wish—" she cried, and then paused abruptly.

"Can't you?" asked Rebecca, understandingly. "I know your father would—"

Anne turned from the glass, interrupting gaily. "Yes, to the extent of a walking suit and shirt waists."

Rebecca drew a long breath of satisfaction as she looked about the room. "This," she explained, indicating a white fabric on the bed, "is organdy that we're going to put over that old blue taffeta of mine. Yes, it's got to be all made over, but won't the combination be sweet? And this is linen for a suit. And this is dotted mull for a little afternoon gown. We can't have too many thin things, you know."

"Yes," said Anne, soberly.

She sighed as she crossed the street; but ten minutes later she recrossed it excitedly, the cause of the sigh forgotten, and burst into the sewing room.

"Becky," she cried, "Will Dunmore says we're going to have two boat clubs and races, and the girls can belong. He wants us on his side!"

"A boat club!" returned Rebecca, promptly. "O dear no, Anne! With all this sewing I can't waste any time boating! Mother has just decided that I must have a cream-colored mohair for mornings, in addition to the other things."

Anne twisted the knob of the door and hesitated. "But, Becky, what about tennis? We play the first game this afternoon—"

Rebecca interrupted with a firm shake of the head. "You know, Anne, we'll get all that at the lakes, rowing and tennis and golf. Now I can't spend the time; I must sew."

As the weeks passed that expression, "I must sew," became the only reply Rebecca gave, because the cream-colored mohair proved but the first of a number of additions to her pretty wardrobe. Tennis, croquet, boating, afternoon walks, evenings with her friends were all given up.

"I must sew," said Rebecca; and one by one the dainty, filmy garments were hung away fresh and unworn for August and the big hotel.

"I must sew," said Rebecca; and her cheeks grew hollow, while dark circles came under her eyes, for summer was also overworking that year, July heat prevailing in June and August sultriness in July.

It was one hot afternoon in the middle of July that Rebecca threw open the wardrobe in the sewing room for Anne's inspection, saying, in a tone weary but full of satisfaction. "Only see, Anne, all the pretty things I have to wear!"

"Indeed, they are pretty," assented Anne, heartily.

Then her eyes traveled thoughtfully from the contents of the wardrobe to Rebecca's cheeks and on to Mrs. Brown, bending over a shirt waist, on which she was laying insertion. Mrs. Brown's hands trembled nervously as she worked, and occasionally she paused to press her hand over her eyes.

During one of these pauses she asked listlessly, "Have you begun to get your new things, Anne?"

Anne still looked thoughtful. "You know all I'm to have is a walking suit and shirt waists. Mother is working on a shirt waist."

Mrs. Brown bent a compassionate gaze on her, while Rebecca murmured, "I supposed, Anne, that when you came to think hard about going you'd have—"

"She paused. Rebecca had a habit of implying the end of a sentence by a glance or a tone.

"No," replied Anne, simply.

She walked across the street slowly, and came on her mother also putting insertion in the front of a shirt waist, and her mother looked warm and tired.

"Mother," said Anne, decidedly, "there's enough trimming on that waist now!"

Abruptly she took the insertion out of her mother's hands, adding anxiously, "It's nice now out on the porch." Then, irrelevantly, "You just ought to see Mrs. Brown."

Mrs. Tupper looked up inquiringly.

"Mrs. Brown? Why, really, I've scarcely caught a glimpse of her all summer. But I suppose she will let her friends see her again after you and Becky go."

They started the first of August. Mrs. Tupper went down to the station with Anne. They were preceded by an express wagon in which a little flat-topped one-story trunk rattled round inconspicuously behind its heavy, three-story, iron-bound neighbor.

Just as the train drew into the sta-

tion Rebecca entered alone, bearing an umbrella and two hat boxes.

"Mother has a headache," she explained, adding listlessly, "and so have I."

During the journey to the northward the owner of the three-story trunk lay back in her seat, a wet handkerchief across her eyes, while Anne, her fresh, eager face in the open window, kept her informed of the varied outside attractions.

Several days later a wall from the Twin Lakes arrived by mail. It was directed to Mrs. Brown, but Mrs. Brown was in no condition to read it. She lay in a darkened room, suffering with inflamed nerves and inflamed eyes. Mrs. Tupper was caring for her, and it was Mrs. Tupper who raised the curtain a trifle and read the wall aloud.

"I haven't written much before," wrote Rebecca, "because I'm so tired I can't write or do anything else except watch the others have a good time—especially Anne. She has the best muscle of any girl here, and Tom's friends all want her on their side in tennis matches and boating and that sort of thing. She looks so well and happy and active that I hear people say they like to see her around. O dear! I'm so tired I can write just this one thing more! If I go away next summer I won't kill myself getting ready! I'm glad, though, that you are well. I was afraid when I came away that you were going to be sick."

There was a restless movement in the darkest corner of the room. "I didn't write Becky that I am sick because I didn't want to spoil her good time!" sighed Rebecca's mother.—Youth's Companion.

MISLEADING NAMES.

Terms in Science that Relate the Products to Which They Apply.

There are terms in certain departments of science that positively misname the products to which they are applied.

The word "oil" in its more comprehensive and indiscriminate uses, is made to include hydrocarbons, like petroleum, and also many other substances that have an oily appearance, like "oil of vitriol," which is not oil at all, but sulphuric acid.

Strictly speaking, the mineral oils, including all petroleum products, are not oil, although we speak of "coal oil" and "kerosene oil."

The best classifications of oils do not include mineral hydrocarbons, like naphtha, paraffin and petroleum, but treat only the two well defined groups—fixed oils and fats and the essential or volatile oils.

"Copperas" is not copper, but sulphate of iron. "Salt of lemon" has nothing to do with the fruit of the lemon tree, but is potassium binoxalate of potash treated with oxalic acid.

"Carbolic acid" is not an acid, but a phenol. In structure it is allied to the alcohols and has only slight acid properties. "Soda water" has no trace of soda. "Sulphuric acid" contains no sulphur. "Sugar of lead" is innocent of sugar.

"Cream of tartar" has nothing to do with cream nor "milk of lime" with milk. "German silver" is a stranger to silver, and "black lead" is not lead at all, but graphite. "Mosaic gold" is a sulphide of tin.

These misleading names have come down from the vocabulary of an early and inexact chemistry. As popular science extends the old terms are yielding to the more scientific nomenclature.

SOLVED THE PROBLEM.

The Simple Secret of Blowing the Big Glass Globes.

Emperor Nicholas wished to illuminate the Alexander column in a grand style. The size of the round lamps to be used for the purpose was indicated and the glasses ordered at the manufactory, where the workmen exerted themselves in vain and almost blew the breath out of their bodies in the endeavor to obtain the desired size.

The commission must be executed—that was self evident—but how?

A great premium was offered to the one who could solve the problem. Again the human bellows toiled and puffed. Their object seemed unattainable, when at last a long bearded Russian stepped forward and declared that he could do it; he had strong lungs; he would only rinse his mouth first with a little water to refresh them.

He applied his mouth to the pipe and puffed to such purpose that the vitreous ball swelled and puffed nearly to the required dimensions, up to them, beyond them.

"Hold! Hold!" cried the lookers on. "You are doing too much. And how did you do it at all?"

"The matter is simple enough," answered the long beard, "but, first, where is my premium?"

And when he clutched the promised bounty he explained.

He had retained some of the water in his mouth, which had passed thence into the glowing ball and then, becoming steam, had rendered him this good service.

Cautious.

Mr. Uglimug—This portrait doesn't look a bit like me.

Artist—I know it. I was afraid to make it exactly like you for fear you wouldn't take it.

Some women break into the gossip class because they are unable to attract attention in any other way.

A girl may refuse a man because she feels sure that he will propose again, but a widow never takes any chances.

Every time you get your own way you make an enemy.

Smiles of the Day

Successful Plan.

"One time I was in great danger from a lion," said the African explorer, who happened to be in a reminiscent mood, "and, having no weapon at hand, I tried sitting down and staring at him."

"How did the plan work?" queried the innocent bystander.

"Couldn't have worked better," replied the hero of the tale. "The lion didn't come within fifty feet of me."

"That's queer," remarked the l. b.

"How do you account for it?"

"I think the place I selected as a seat had something to do with it," answered the explorer. "I sat on the limb of a tree that was fully fifty feet from the ground."

Evincing Polite Curiosity.



"Yes, I had a hard time of it. For a while the doctor said I had only one chance in a thousand to regain my reason."

"Well?"

"Well what?"

"Did you regain it?"

True Sympathy.

Yunger—Three years ago I married your only daughter.

Oldum—Yes.

Yunger—And I have never ceased to regret it.

Oldum—Let us sympathize with each other, my boy.

Yunger—With each other?

Oldum—Yes; I married her mother.

Rather Mixed.

The big brakeman opened the door of the smoker and bellowed:

"Anychoomengoshmash!"

The four drummers playing a game of cards looked up inquisitively.

"Anychoomengoshmash," echoed one.

"Why, that must be an Indian name."

"Sounds like Hottentot," said a second.

"Or Eskimo," added a third.

And then the conductor came through.

"Say, conductor, what station was that the brakeman called out?"

"Oh, that wasn't a station."

"Then what did he say?"

"Why, 'Have any of you men got a match? Billy is so used to announcing stations in a jumble he talks that way altogether."

At the Summer Boarding House.

City Boarder—You should be arrested for getting money under false pretenses.

Farmer Ryetop—What now, neighbor?

City Boarder—Why, you said after I had been here a week I'd have an appetite like a horse.

Farmer Ryetop—And ain't yeon, mister? Begob! I saw yeon eating corn off the cob at dinner.

Another Thrust.

Mr. Stubb—That old chop Argus had a hundred eyes.

Mrs. Stubb—So they say.

Mr. Stubb—And I suppose, Maria, if I had a hundred eyes I could see everything, too.

Mrs. Stubb—Everything but your own faults, John.

Rah-Rah Boy Coming.

"Oldum has some old-fashioned ideas, hasn't he?"

"How so?"

"He has sent his son to college to make a gentleman of him."—Houston Post.

Trouble Impending.



The Girl—Oh, Jimmy, how I wish this could go on forever.

Jim—Well, I'm afraid it won't. I've an idea dat barb wire fence ahead of us'll stop us.

Cause of His Haste.

Perambulating Pete—Wot is youse runnin' fer, Mike?

Meandering Mike—De woman at de house back dere offered me a cake.

Perambulating Pete—Well, wot wuz de matter wid it?

Meandering Mike—Matter? Why, it wuz a cake uv soap.

The Very Idea.

Mr. Portleigh—This shopping business is an awful nuisance.

Mrs. Portleigh—Why, Henry! You have no reason to complain. I'm doing the shopping. All you do is to carry the parcels.

Irrepressible Laughter.

Stage Manager (at rehearsal)—But you laughed at the death scene. You mustn't do that.

Actor—With the salary you give me, I can only greet death with joy.

A Woman's Eyes.

"This paper," remarked Mrs. Bimberly, "tells of a woman in Kansas who has microscopic eyes."

"I guess most women have them," rejoined her husband. "Anyway, a mouse looks as big to the average woman as a trolley car does to a man."

Candid Admission.

Kind Lady—And you claim to be an Englishman? I'll test you. How many meals do you eat a day?

Sandy Pikes—As many as I can git, mum.

Bunked Again.

Farmer Ryetop—Say, Hiram, when you were in Noo York last, what was the worst quarter you took in?

Farmer Hardapple—Why, a Canadian quarter with a hole in, by gosh!

Always on Her Mind.

Dick—She is ever thinking about an engagement ring.

Tom—Think so?

Dick—I know it. She said even the sunset reminded her of a band of gold.

Packing Trunks.

"When a woman packs a trunk she puts her soul into the task."

"And when a man packs a trunk he puts his feet into it."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Easy.

"Say!"

"Yep?"

"How does a doctor know w'en a man he's treatin' is goin' ter die?"

"Well, he knows what he's been dopin' him wid, don't he?"—Cleveland Leader.

Thrown Out.

Tess—Why, Bell used to be hand-in-glove with him.

Tom—Say rather "hand-in-mitten." She gave him the latter and withdrew the hand.—Philadelphia Press.

Hymen at the Wheel.

"Yes," said the young artist, proudly, "this is my latest picture. It represents the old ferryman waiting for the runaway couple to leave the parsonage."

"Fine picture," complimented the friend. "What is it entitled?"

"Why, 'Waiting for the Tied.'"

He Got It.

Willie (paying visit with his mother)—Gee! I wish I had something ter eat.

His Mother—Willie, you must not ask for anything when you are visiting.

Willie—I didn't ask fer it; I wished fer it.

Unexpected Death.



Mrs. Hogan—O! hear your son Patrick died very suddenly. Was his dith unexpected?

Mrs. Doran—It was. We expected a pardon from th' Guv'nor to th' very lasht minute.

Down at Bacon Ridge.

Drummer—So this town is progressing, eh?

Old Postmaster—Wall, I should smile, stranger. The chap that runs the old traction engine has picked up French and calls himself a chauffeur.

Always Failing.

"The upper set worries me a great deal," said the socialist on the back platform.

"The upper set worries me also," sighed the man in the green necktie.

"Ah, are you also a socialist, my friend?"

"No, but I've just had an upper set of teeth put in this morning."

The Poor Umpire Again.

Stubb—Yes, they found that the score had been doctored.

Penn—What happened then?

BOY TORTURED BY AWFUL HUMOR

Almost Covered with Eczema—No Night's Rest for Nearly a Year—Feared Lifelong Disfigurement—All Treatments Failed and Limit of Endurance Seemed Near.

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COURSE OF TRUE LOVE RUFFLED

Italy's Dowager Queen Down on American Alliance.

HEARS ABOUT BLAINE ELKINS

Actress's Breach of Promise Suit Against Brother of Duke of the Abruzzi's Fiance, Prompts the Dictator of Italian Social and Court Circles to Declare That It Would Be a Disgrace to Italian Royalty for the Duke to Marry Into a Family Thus Brought Into the Limelight.

Rome, Sept. 29.—Aroused by the news of the breach of promise suit brought by Ada Louise Lonsdale, the actress, against Blaine Elkins, Dowager Queen Margherita has renewed



DOWAGER QUEEN MARGHERITA.

her opposition to the marriage of the Duke of Abruzzi, cousin of King Victor Emmanuel, and Miss Katherine Elkins, sister of the defendant in the suit.

The dowager queen declared that it would be a disgrace to Italian royalty for the duke to marry into such a family. She has written the king to the effect that the suit brought by the actress offers sufficient ground for his interference. The dowager queen declares the suit to be a "timely illustration of the unwisdom of alliances between the royalty of Europe and the totally different types of the New World."

Other members of the royal family are said to be offering opposition to the match with the daughter of Senator Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia.

Friends of the duke say, however, that their opposition will have no effect on him. If the king should take a determined stand against the marriage, however, it is doubtful if the duke would care to defy him in view of the possible succession to the throne of issue of the marriage. The duke, while entertaining rather liberal ideas himself, respects the feelings of others of the so-called blue blood as to family and conventions.

The dowager queen in her letter to the king reiterating her well-known opposition to the marriage of the duke and Miss Elkins, asserted that the marriage would most assuredly be followed by a series of scandals that would embarrass Italian royalty. These scandals in no way involve either the duke or Miss Elkins, the dowager queen says, but the marriage would open the way for their exposure.

An Answer Promised.

Yankton, S. D., Sept. 29.—President Roosevelt's letter of Sunday to William J. Bryan, which furnished another chapter in the recent rapid-fire correspondence between the two, was not read by the Democratic candidate until he arrived late Monday afternoon at Tripp, a small station on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. A newspaper was there handed to him and at the conclusion of his speech at that point he carefully read what Mr. Roosevelt had to say. Mr. Bryan, when he had finished going over the letter, remarked that he would not reply to it by letter, but would answer soon the few new points it contains in a statement.

Woman's Shocking Death.

New York, Sept. 29.—In the presence of a crowd of women shoppers waiting for an uptown train at the Fourteenth street station of the Sixth avenue elevated railroad, a well-dressed woman of twenty-six, threw herself in front of a moving train and was so terribly injured that she died a few moments later. While the woman's mangled body was still lying on the tracks a priest knelt by it and administered the last rites of the church while hundreds of persons who had poured from the train stood with bared heads. On the woman's underclothing was the name "Sherwood" written in ink.

The Valley Savings bank of Fresno, Cal., authorized capital \$200,000, has been closed by order of the state bank commission.

LEGISLATIVE SENSATION

Representative Makes Affidavit Affecting Governor.

ALLEGES ATTEMPTED BRIBERY

Representative Knisely Declares That He Was Offered a Valuable Position if He Would Cast His Vote for County Option, Alleging That Representative Wickwire Acted as Go-Between in the Matter, Which Allegation Wickwire Vigorously Denies.

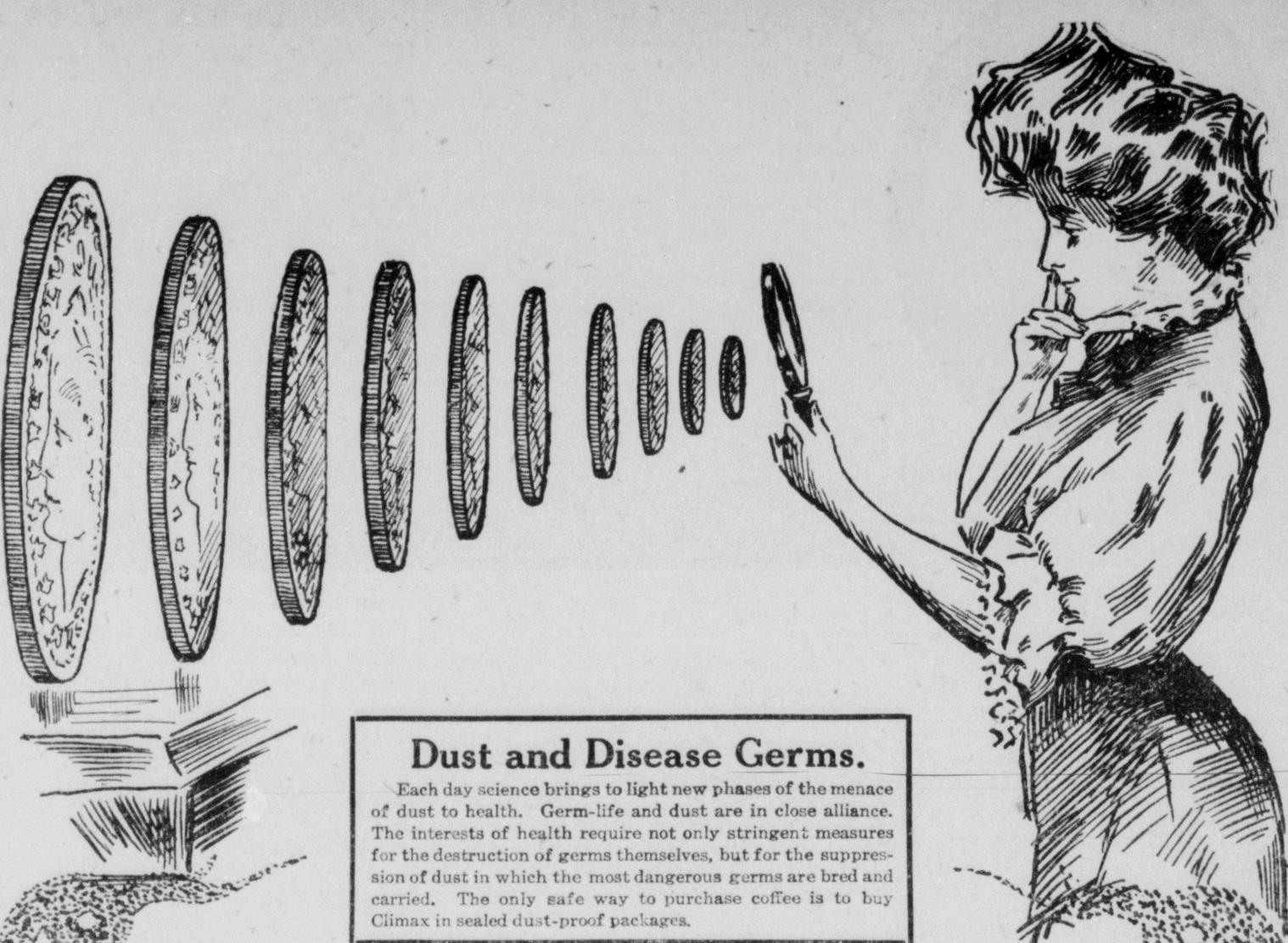
Indianapolis, Sept. 29.—Luther W. Knisely, representative from Dekalb county, who sprang a sensation in the house when the vote on the county option bill was being taken by declaring that a position paying \$2,000 a year had been offered him in exchange for his vote by Governor Hanly and Senator Thomas S. Wickwire of Dekalb and Steuben counties, has made affidavit to the truth of the facts as stated by him in explaining his vote against the measure. The affidavit, now in the hands of Stokes Jackson, Democratic state chairman, reads as follows:

"I, Luther W. Knisely, a representative in the General Assembly of the state of Indiana from the county of Dekalb, and as such being in Indianapolis in attendance upon the special session of the said General Assembly, on the morning of Sept. 26, 1908, do state under oath that on the said morning of said date, and twenty minutes before the house convened, Senator Wickwire came to me and wanted an interview. He made me the proposition that if I would vote for the county local option bill I could have a position. I asked what kind of a position. He said the position would pay from (\$700) seven hundred dollars up to (\$2,000) two thousand and better, according to my ability to fill the same. I made the statement to him that he had no authority to give these positions. He wanted to know if I would accept any higher authority. I said I could consider the matter, and went back to the house. About ten minutes before the house opened, Senator Wickwire came to me and took me to Governor J. Frank Hanly, who conducted me into his private office. There the governor requested me to vote for the county local option bill, saying that if I would, I would be well taken care of. I said: 'Governor, I am a Democrat; if you were put in my chair and I in yours, what would you do in this case?' He answered: 'I would most certainly accept.' He also said: 'Knisely, this is the opportunity of your life.' I answered: 'Governor, I beg to differ with you.' Then the conference ended and I returned immediately to the house chamber."

Bribery Statute Quoted.

Democrats declare that the alleged offer was an attempt to bribe, and they point to Section 2096 of Burns's Revised Statutes, on bribery of public officers. This reads in part as follows: "Whoever corruptly gives, promises or offers to any member, officer, clerk or employee of the General Assembly [here are named other public officers] any money or valuable thing; or corruptly offers or promises to do any act beneficial to any such person to influence his action, vote, opinion or judgment in any matter pending or that might legally come before him," makes himself liable, etc., and on conviction shall be imprisoned from two to fourteen years, fined in a sum not to exceed \$10,000, disfranchised and rendered incapable of holding public office."

The affidavit, it is said, will be used in the present campaign, and there is talk of making it a part of a resolution calling for an investigation to be offered by the Democrats before the close of the present special session. Knisely is a farmer living near Butler, Dekalb county. This is his first term in the legislature, and he is not a candidate for re-election. His reputation has been good. He is regarded as a quiet, unobtrusive man. During the regular session he displayed very little activity other than to vote on the measures as they came up. Governor Hanly refused to make a statement in the matter for publication, but Senator Wickwire promptly gave out a signed denial. He declared that Knisely had come over to the hall of the senate to discuss the county local option bill with him. Wickwire said he had counseled with Knisely on the bill and had told Knisely that he ought to vote for county option. He declared, however, that he never attempted to use any undue influence on Knisely. He had told the Dekalb county man, he said, that the county option bill was meritorious and that it should be supported for that reason. In the house Monday afternoon the emergency clause was stricken from Governor Hanly's "night rider" bill, and the bill so amended as to provide for the protection of all growing crops and not merely tobacco. The house and senate finance committees are in a tangle over the governor's demand for a specific appropriation of \$150,000 to help complete the Southeastern Indiana hospital for the insane at Madison, and the legislature may not be able to adjourn before Thursday.



Dust and Disease Germs.

Each day science brings to light new phases of the menace of dust to health. Germ-life and dust are in close alliance. The interests of health require not only stringent measures for the destruction of germs themselves, but for the suppression of dust in which the most dangerous germs are bred and carried. The only safe way to purchase coffee is to buy Climax in sealed dust-proof packages.

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TERSE TELEGRAMS

The American Bankers' association is holding its annual convention at Denver.

Nearly four thousand mill operatives are still idle at Augusta, Ga., because of the recent flood there.

Alarming reports are current in Bucharest regarding the health of King Charles of Roumania.

Forest fires in the Adirondacks are now reported beyond control of hundreds of men fighting them.

Five men were killed by an explosion in the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad tunnel at Tobyhanna, Pa.

Governor Charles N. Haskell of Oklahoma in a public address denounced President Roosevelt as a "four flusher."

Since the beginning of the epidemic there have been 15,683 cases of Asiatic cholera reported in Russia and 7,102 deaths.

W. H. Wylie, commercial agent of the Wabash railroad at St. Louis, has been appointed assistant general freight agent.

Twenty persons were killed and nineteen seriously injured in a collision on an elevated railway in the center of Berlin.

The British ship Loch Findlas from Port Pirie, South Australia, for Calao, was wrecked off Foster Island, Tasmania, and twenty of the crew of twenty-four were drowned.

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